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WILSON TO SEEK FULL AUTHORITY

Congress Will Probably Act Before Adjournment

CRISIS WITH AUSTRIA

President Just As Anxious As Any Member of Congress to Keep U. S. Out of War

Washington, D. C., Feb. 21. — The generally accepted idea that President Wilson will address congress on the German crisis again before the end of the week, virtually was confirmed today in official quarters. There was no announcement and it was said that the President still was considering his next step, but officials pointed out the necessity of providing for any emergency which might arise after adjournment and explained that the President would go to the capitol not to ask for a declaration of war but merely for authority to protect American rights.

The President, it was reiterated, is just as anxious as any member of the senate or house to avoid war, although determined that the rights of the United States must be respected. One of his reasons for desiring action by congress now instead of risking the necessity for a special session was said to be a belief that a call for an extra session in an emergency might result in dangerous excitement.

It was emphasized at the state department today that the one big issue facing the American government is the continuance of Germany's submarine campaign. It was revealed that on Monday a vigorous demand for the release of the American prisoners on the prize ship Yarrowdale was forwarded to Berlin and it is expected the demand will be complied with.

On the submarine issue it was stated officially the only step on the part of Germany which will satisfy the American government will be the renewal of the pledges given after the Sussex was attacked.

On the face of reports and the attitude of Germany and Austria Hungary, most officials think the time rapidly is approaching when diplomatic relations with the latter country will be broken and steps taken to protect American merchantmen desiring to pass through the dangerous area.

No ground for any hope that the Vienna government will repudiate Germany's campaign is to be found. As far as can be learned, no reply to the note from the United States inquiring for a clearer statement of Austria's attitude has been received.

A delayed communication from the German foreign office was delivered to the department today by Dr. Paul Ritter, the Swiss minister. It was dispatched from Berlin previous to the departure of Ambassador Gerard from Germany and contained a request for information concerning the welfare and treatment of German officials and nationals in the United States.

State department officials said that inasmuch as developments subsequent to the time the communication was prepared already had explained the situation, no reply would be necessary. The note confirmed reports that a German misunderstanding of affairs relating to the treatment of Germans in the United States had arisen in Germany.

GOVERNMENT TO STUDY NEW ORDER IN COUNCIL

BEFORE PASSING JUDGMENT ON BRITISH NAVAL STEP

Washington, D. C., Feb. 21. — Although informed of the modification of the terms of the British blockade as promulgated in London today, state department officials are reserving judgment upon the subject until the new order can be carefully studied. On its face it appears that it is intended to assert unequivocally the right of prize courts to condemn a neutral vessel with her cargo if the latter is of enemy origin or is bound for an enemy country.

The original order in council of March, 1915, allowed considerable latitude in the disposition of such vessels or cargoes and while ships bound directly to and from German ports with their cargoes were deemed subject to confiscation, the same rigid rules were not applied to neutral ships carrying goods bound to or from Germany or Austria through adjacent neutral countries.

The practical effect of the new order is expected to be to throw into prize courts at once many ships and cargoes which heretofore have been subject to detention, but not to confiscation.

The United States has refused to recognize the legality of the blockade orders in council and has reserved all rights under international law as interpreted here. Diplomatic exchanges through which it is hoped eventually to clear up the problem and obtain reparation where American property rights are involved, virtually are at a standstill just now.

MRS. HILLSINGER RELEASED

Governor Whitman Commutes Sentence of Oneonta Woman Sentenced to Life Imprisonment in June, 1901—Found Guilty of Second Degree Murder for Shooting Annie White, an Outcast, Who Had Alienated Her Husband's Affections.

The following Associated Press dispatch, sent out from Albany last night, brings to mind the tragedy for which Mrs. Hillsinger was sentenced to life imprisonment, and which was yesterday commuted by Governor Charles S. Whitman:

Albany, Feb. 21. — Governor Whitman, at his second public pardon hearing today, commuted the sentences of 22 convicts, so that they will be granted their freedom at once. One of the commutations was granted to Edward Hugnson, convicted in Albany county in 1896 for first degree murder, seven commutations were granted to prisoners convicted for second degree murder, while another went to Joseph Scalzo, sentenced from Niagara county for second degree manslaughter. The others who will be given their freedom were convicted on charges of robbery, larceny, perjury and assault.

The seven prisoners convicted of second degree murder and the year in which they were sentenced are:

John L. Credon, Warren county, 1902; Miles Smelanie, Allegheney, 1903; Carmene Calvetti, Schenectady, 1901; Edward J. Hendry, New York, 1906; Romeo Maenotti, Richmond, 1911; Edgar C. Burns, Westchester, 1900, and Carrie Hillsinger Otsego, 1901.

Crime for Which She was Convicted.

On the morning of September 21, 1900, Annie White, aged 28, was found lying dead on the kitchen floor in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Hillsinger, residing near Pond Lily hotel on the Otego road. Three bullet wounds were found in her body,—two in the breast and one in her left temple—and a 32-calibre revolver was clutched in the dead girl's hand. Mrs. Hillsinger asserted that she had been awakened about 3:30 o'clock a. m. by the sound of shots from the kitchen and had found the girl in a dying condition.

After working four days on the case Coroner VanVechten brought in a verdict charging Clarissy Hillsinger with murder and she was placed under arrest by Under Sheriff T. W. Snyder, September 25.

In June, 1901, she was brought to trial in supreme court at Cooperstown before Judge Lyon and was found guilty of murder in the second degree and sentenced to imprisonment at hard labor in Auburn prison for life. Mrs. Hillsinger was 39 years of age at the time she began serving the sentence.

District Attorney Merrit Bridges, who prosecuted Mrs. Hillsinger, brought out the fact at the trial that Mrs. Hillsinger was jealous of Annie White and had made threats on several occasions to do her bodily harm. Mrs. Hillsinger came from Cooperstown to Oneonta, before her marriage.

It was established at the trial that Annie White had come of good parentage in Pittston, Pa., but that she had been betrayed. After the birth of her child she entered a house of shame, and later entered the home of Mr. and Mrs. Hillsinger, where she was employed for her board. Mrs. Hillsinger grew jealous of the intimacy that sprang up between her husband and the White girl.

MANY PRISONERS AND MUCH WAR BOOTY IS CAPTURED

Again the British forces fighting in France have attacked German positions at several points and been rewarded for their efforts by an aggregate gain of more than 1,150 yards, according to the latest British official communication.

On the Armentieres line the front was penetrated for about 600 yards. Numerous casualties were inflicted on the Germans. The British casualties are said to have been slight. Near Gheudecourt, in the Somme sector, the British also seized a section of German trenches and took prisoners.

There is still artillery activity in the region of Verdun, but elsewhere along the line held by the French there have been no new developments. Berlin reports that an attempt by the French to capture hill 185 south of Ripont failed with heavy casualties.

An attack by British detachments between the Sardar river and Lake Doiran on the north Macedonian front has served to vary the recent operations on this front. Berlin reports that the attack was repulsed.

Germany's submarine campaign was described to parliament by Sir Edward Carson, the first lord of the admiralty, as grave and serious, but he said measures had been taken under which it would be mitigated by degrees. From Feb. 1, when Germany began her intensified submarine warfare, to Feb. 18, allied and neutral vessels aggregating 391,000 tons had been sunk, Sir Edward said, as compared with tonnages of 273,000 and 195,000 respectively for same periods in December and January. These tonnages included small vessels sent to the bottom.

Sir Edward announced that the admiralty had a record of 40 encounters with submarines during the first 18 days of February and cited several cases where underwater boats had been captured or sunk.

The German minister of the navy, in an address, asserted that Germany's expectations from submarines had been surpassed and that there was reason to suppose that not a single U-boat had been lost.

INVESTIGATION OF FOOD PRICES

Grand Juries Will Begin Searching Inquiries

TRUST LAWS VIOLATED?

Huge Gold Supply in United States Given As One Basic Cause For Increase

Boston, Mass., Feb. 21.—The recent jump in food prices will be the subject of special investigation by the federal grand jury, United States Attorney General George W. Anderson announced tonight. The inquiry, which will begin next Tuesday, he stated, will be directed to determine "how far if at all, these marked increases are due to acts obnoxious to the federal anti-trust laws.

In a formal statement the district attorney said:

"Under no existing law can some of the main causes for high prices be dealt with. Some of those chief causes are the following:

"The inflation of money due to increased gold supply. The per capita circulation of money in January, 1917, was $43, which is almost exactly double what it was 20 years ago. Commodity prices have also doubled in the same 20 years; in other words, the increase of money alone accounts for the money cost of living being double what it was 20 years ago.

"The great European war is the most destructive force ever known in the history of mankind.

All of the main food crops for 1916 except rice, were somewhat below the average.

"The incredible waste of American industrial and domestic life aggravates the evils.

"Inadequacy, inefficiency and lack of co-ordination of our transportation system greatly aggravate conditions otherwise serious. Probably the accumulation of freight at the ocean terminals has made a bad transportation system much worse.

"Lest my statement of these general causes be misunderstood, I should add that they do not account for the panic, runaway prices of the last few days. Those are undoubtedly due partly to newspaper clamor, partly to panic and partly to schemes of extortion which ought to be punishable by some law."

Governmental control of the country's food supplies was recommended today by Governor McCall in a statement which he issued after two delegations of women had called at the state house in an attempt to see him regarding food conditions.

New York, Feb. 21.—Mayor Mitchel tonight instructed the police, health and charities departments to make a thorough investigation of food conditions throughout the greater city and report to him Friday when he will place before the board of estimate a request of East Side housewives that $1,000,000 be appropriated by the city to buy food for distribution at reasonable prices.

This action on the part of the mayor followed a resumption of rioting among housewives in various parts of the city and a visit to him of a committee of women who declared their children were starving.

The rioting today, while milder in form than that of yesterday extended to terminal piers of railroad companies, where, it had been reported, several hundred carloads of vegetables, chiefly potatoes and onions, were being withheld from the markets. In the Brownsville section of Brooklyn where a crowd of women stormed a market place several policemen were roughly handled.

"We are not criminals," the women shouted when the reserves attempted to disperse them. "We want bread!"

Three women were arrested in the Bronx tonight for attacking another woman who had emerged from a grocery store carrying a bag of potatoes. Housewives who had volunteered as pickets, were posted in front of grocery and vegetable stores in some of the poorer sections of the city tonight, determined to enforce a boycott against potatoes, onions and cabbages until the prices are lowered.

DRASTIC MEASURES TO KEEP COMMERCE MOVING

MIDDLE WESTERN CITIES ALMOST OUT OF GAS, COKE AND COAL

Washington, D. C., Feb. 21.—Drastic measures of precaution were adopted today by the chief railroads of the east to meet varying emergency needs for coal and foodstuffs from the Mississippi river to Maine, due to the acute shortage and congestion of freight cars.

Chief of these measures was the dispatch of rush orders to all roads concerned for the prompt transportation of gas coal and coke to 18 towns and cities including Chicago, Detroit, Indianapolis, Toledo and Springfield, Ill., in the middle west where, it was announced "possible interruption" of light, heat and power service would result unless the shortage was relieved at once.

The shortage was said to be the most acute at Indianapolis where the coal supply for gas was reported to be only three days ahead of requirements. Chicago's 100,000 tons emergency store of gas coke has been cut to 23,000 tons, barely sufficient for three weeks service, although Chicago was said to be better supplied than any other city on the list.

The interstate commerce commission is working to meet the situation in co-operation with the railroad men. A telegram from President Griffin of the Chicago Board of Trade appealing for relief and asserting that riots would result unless an embargo were placed on all articles out of Chicago except coal and foodstuffs, stirred up some surprise.

That portion of the dispatch referring to possible food riots was not specifically answered and officials declined to comment on it. Members of the commission are understood, however, to regard the situation as depicted by Mr. Griffin as highly improbable.

Data compiled by the American Railway association was made public showing diminution at New York, Philadelphia, Boston and Baltimore of the number of cars of export freight on hand and the amount of wheat held in elevators and cars awaiting ocean transportation. Officials of the association declared there was little likelihood of a general foodstuffs or fuel shortage in the east. The car shortage is said to be less acute than a year ago.

Congressman Helgesen.

Washington, Feb. 21.—Congressman H. T. Helgesen of North Dakota in a brief statement before congress indicated that he is in favor of putting the power to declare war solely in the hands of the American people.

Recently he introduced a resolution to this effect, demanding a referendum on the question of whether the United States shall participate in the European war and whether the executive officers of the United States shall be restrained from taking any steps in that direction until the people have made their decision.

CAR SHORTAGE IS GREAT CALAMITY

Appeals May Be Made to President Wilson For Immediate Aid

COMMERCE PARALYZED

Middle West So Congested With Raw Food That Business Is At a Standstill

Chicago, Ill., Feb. 21. — It was authoritatively stated this afternoon that unless action adequate to solve the car shortage situation has been taken by Friday next the administration of the Chicago Board of Trade will appeal to President Wilson and congress to take the situation out of the hands of the railroads and of the interstate commerce commission, as might be done in time of war, and place it in the hands of a body with dictatorial powers for the time being.

In a public statement made this afternoon by J. F. Griffin, president of the Chicago Board of Trade, it is asserted that in addition to 40,000,000 bushels of grain in Chicago awaiting shipment there are from 50 to 75 millions more in country elevators, held up because of congestion here.

"I have no hesitancy in declaring that both the commission and the railroads are completely overwhelmed and have lost grasp of the situation," states Mr. Griffin. "As a matter of fact, the intervention of the interstate commerce commission has been harmful rather than otherwise and the method of relief insisted upon or offered by them has been fanciful and without substantial results."

The statement asserts that unless a remedy is found the demoralization will extend to all commodities. It concludes:

"I am willing to predict that within less than 30 days the commerce of this country will be prostrated unless some large and more influential power than the railroads and the interstate commerce commission is placed in control of the matter."

Mr. Griffin said that grain is today the cheapest food commodity in the world. He said that prices here at present are but 20 per cent above the level which has ruled during the war, while potatoes and produce generally are selling from 200 to 1,000 per cent higher than the level of a year ago.

"The distress at consuming points," he continued, "is clearly demonstrated by the prices prevailing for spot grain. While the value at Chicago and other western markets is moderate, grain for immediate delivery in the east is selling at a premium of from 5 to 20 cents a bushel above Chicago parity, freight conditions considered."

His attention was invited to the official statement that the car shortage of the country is now 109,000 cars.

"I don't just know what these figures mean," he said, "but I do know that we could use 20,000 cars in Chicago right now."

Telegrams along the lines given in his statement were sent by Mr. Griffin to presidents of eastern railroads and to the interstate commerce commission earlier in the day.

In these he asserted among other things that a continuance of the present situation will lead to the danger of anarchy and rioting. He asserted that the root of the trouble lies in the use of a disproportionate number of cars on eastern roads for carrying manufactured articles bringing the railroads a higher revenue than grain and foodstuffs. He said that munitions of war formed only a part of two or three hundred articles which were given preference in the matter of cars.

Ward Liner Monterey Afire.

New York, Feb. 21.—The Ward line steamship Monterey which sailed tonight for Havana, was forced to turn back because of a fire which was discovered in her after hold when she was 14 miles beyond Scotland lightship. A wireless message sent from the lightship said the crew seemed to have the fire under control.

The message announcing her return gave no details as to the origin of the fire.

BROAD MILITARY TRAINING

Staff Training Measure To Be Sent to Congress this Week.

Washington, D. C., Feb. 21.—Recent indications that the administration has determined to endorse the broad principle of general military training were strengthened today when Secretary Baker announced after a conference with President Wilson that a universal training bill drawn up by the army general staff and war college experts would be sent to congress later this week.

It is understood that neither the President nor Secretary Baker is ready to advocate the adoption of the general staff bill.

Secretary Baker would not indicate what recommendations if any will be sent to congress with the general staff bill. The senate military committee already has reported a bill differing in several respects from the one before Secretary Baker and it is expected that when the annual army appropriation bill comes before the senate efforts will be made to attach a universal training provision in some form.

ONE KILLED; 9 INJURED IN PHILADELPHIA RIOT

WIVES OF STRIKERS LEAD IN CLASH WITH POLICE

Philadelphia, Pa., Feb. 21.—A riot tonight by the wives of striking employes of the Franklin Sugar Refining company resulted in the killing of one man and the serious injury of nine others when the police and strikers clashed near the refinery.

The dead man, Marciquenas Detkobze, 30 years old, fell before a police volley fired as the rioters showering bricks on police reserves rushed from the city hall. Mounted Police Sergeant Jolly's jaw was broken by a brick as he galloped toward the strikers. John Bromley, a spectator, was shot in the stomach.

The women's demonstration which reached a climax in the riot followed a meeting held late this afternoon. The wives, mothers and daughters of the strikers determined to march in a body to the refinery and demand that the concessions sought by the men be granted. As they marched through the streets, the women cried that they were starving.

They were led to the refinery by Mrs. Florence Shadle, 32 years old, who carried a baby in her arms as she shouted encouragement to her followers.

During the melee as the police were about to open fire on the strikers who ran to the aid of their women folk, a patrolman seized Mrs. Shadle and dragged her and the baby to safety. She was arrested and charged with inciting to riot.

As the striking employes ran towards the screaming group of women, police, mounted and on foot, flung a cordon about the riot zone. A number of colored strike breakers who had hastened to the scene were bombarded by stones and clubs. Many of the missles struck the police who began firing into the group of strikers. Scores of the workmen and police were hurt by flying missles.

A riot call brought out every high official of the police department and every available reserve south of Market street was rushed to the refinery. Superintendent of Police Robinson ordered the closing of two saloons near the refinery. Most of the women in the riot were of foreign birth.

Highest Price for Hogs.

Chicago, Ill., Feb. 21.—Hogs sold within five cents of $13.00 a hundred pounds at the Union stockyards today, the highest price paid in the history of the Chicago market. Stockyards commission men estimated that there is a shortage of 1,000,000 hogs at the 11 principal markets of the country.

Means Certain Break.

Amsterdam, Holland, via London, England, Feb. 21.—The Frankfurter Zeitung learns from Berlin that the American memorandum presented to the Austro Hungarian foreign minister at Vienna "leaves no doubt that a rupture of relations will follow."

BIG VICTORY FOR THE 'DRY' FORCES

House Passes 4 to 1 Bill Prohibiting Importation of Liquor

INTO DRY TERRITORY

Will Cut Off Millions of Dollars Annually Spent For Booze in Many States

Washington, D. C., Feb. 21.—Absolute prohibition legislation took its longest forward stride in the nation's history today when the house, after two hours of uproarous debate, approved, by a four to one majority, a senate measure which would raise an iron clad barrier against importation of liquor into prohibition states. It is expected to receive the approval of President Wilson within a week, adding to the "bone dry" territory about one-third of continental United States.

The provision is regarded as the most far reaching that could be enacted by the federal government and as sweeping as would be possible under any method short of a national prohibition amendment. It would cut off entirely liquor importations, amounting now to millions of dollars annually, into the large number of states, which have forbidden manufacture or sale but have permitted importation for personal use.

Advocates of prohibition divided among themselves over the expediency of the step, some friends of the cause declaring so drastic a law would have a reactionary effect. In the same way those who have opposed prohibition were not unanimous in opposition when the vote was taken. The roll call brought cheers and cries of "bone dry" from all parts of the house, however, and the result was greeted with a noisy demonstration.

The vote as officially announced was 321 to 72 but a re-check of the roll call changed it to 319 to 72. Party lines were completely broken down and numerous representatives from prohibition states were recorded in the negative. So large a vote seldom is recorded on any measure.

A provision barring liquor advertisements from the mails in states that prohibit such advertising is included in the measure, which came before the house as a rider to the annual post office appropriation bill, inserted by the senate last week on motion of Senator Reed, by a vote of 55 to 11. Although the appropriation bill will go to conference because the house disagreed to other senate amendments there is little possibility that the prohibition amendment, concurred in without change, will be altered. Members of congress are taking it for granted that President Wilson will approve it.

Although some members had given it as their opinion that the legislative features added to the postal bill would not be effective until July 1, Senators and representatives who are considered authority, said tonight that all the legislative riders, including the Reed prohibition amendment, undoubtedly would become operative as soon as the President had signed the measure.

Dry advocates were jubilant tonight. Representative Webb of North Carolina, fathher of the resolution for a national prohibition amendment, declared the overwhelming affirmative vote had killed the states right argument and that the national amendment, already reported favorably certainly would pass the house at this session. The national legislative committee of the Anti Saloon league issued a statement saying today's action had "cleared the decks" for the national amendment.

Many of the wet advocates, particularly those with brewers among their constituents, also declared themselves much pleased. They are understood to have been in favor of the resolution, both because it would curtail the so-called mail order business carried on by houses dealing in spirituous liquors and because it might prevent states now wet from going dry and indefinitely postpone nationwide prohibition.

In several states the Reed amendment would anticipate action by the state legislature. Arkansas, Arizona, Idaho, Montana, Oregon, Tennessee and Washington all have "bone dry" laws already in operation or to become effective shortly. Utah has enacted a law effective August 1. The legislatures of Kansas and South Dakota have sent "bone dry" bills to their governors for signature.

"Bone dry" measures are pending with some prospect of passage in Colorado, Iowa, Mississippi, South Carolina, North Carolina, Oklahoma and Michigan and a "bone dry" measure for Alaska has been favorably reported in congress.

Of all the southern states liquor could be sent into only four under the regulation. They are Florida, Louisiana, Texas and Kentucky. About a score of other local option states will be in no way affected.

Guard Cold Storage Plants.

Troy, Feb. 21.—A special detail of police is guarding two cold storage plants in South Troy owing to rumors that the places were to be blown up by an agent of a secret organization pledged to reduce the price of foodstuffs. While little credence is given the reports, all promises where foodstuffs are stored will be watched during the food crisis.

Why Buy in Oneonta?

REASON NO. 19

By Hon. Charles Smith, President Citizens' National Bank

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ONLY LASS EVER ABOARD U-BOAT

Norwegian Captain's Daughter Pet of Submarine Crew

SHOWERED WITH GIFTS

Experiences During Action Against Shipping Far From Comfortable for Civilians

Copenhagen, Denmark, Feb. 21.—Solveig Jacobson, the six-year-old daughter of a Norwegian shipmaster, who has arrived here with her parents on the way to Norway, has the distinction of not only being the first child to make a voyage on a German submarine, but of being the guest during the eight day trip of the submarine commander who is declared to have sunk the Lusitania.

Solveig's father, Isach Jacobson, was the master of the Norwegian ship Thor II, which was sunk by the submarine. The U boat towed the ship's boats with the crew of 28 toward land for a time and finally left them to shift for themselves but the commander retained the master, his wife and child on the submarine while he continued the cruise. The next ship encountered proved to be laden with ammunition for France. The submarine was so shaken by the terrific explosion when the steamer was torpedoed and by an encounter with a British destroyer, which almost sank the U boat by ramming, that the commander determined to make for his home harbor for repairs after one engine had been disabled.

The submarine steered homeward along a route west of Ireland and north of the Shetlands, dodging many British patrol ships and finally came into port in Helgoland in fairly good shape, the crew having succeeded in repairing the engine on the voyage.

Captain Jacobson in describing his experiences dwelt upon the human side of the men who he came to understand was the Lusitania's destroyer as shown by their treatment of little Solveig.

The submarine's phonograph played Solveig's song by Greig as the waking melody for the child, and the sailors made a pet of her during off duty hours.

During the short stay at Helgoland, where the Jacobsens were the first neutral visitors during the war, the commander of the island called to pay his respects and presented the child with many souvenirs.

Captain Jacobsen's description of the torpedoing of the ammunition ship shows one of the perils to which the submarines are exposed. The submarine had halted the ship, and ignorant of its character, prepared to sink it by gunfire to save torpedoes. The first shot attracted a British destroyer which came at full speed. The submarine hastily submerged, sending a torpedo at the steamer before going under. An appalling explosion followed, which, had the submarine been still on the surface, might have had even more serious consequences. "We had no time to see what became of the steamer's crew which were in the boats near the steamer," said Jacobsen. The submarine's deck was ripped up and we thought our last hour had come."

The destroyer headed at ever increasing speed for the submerging submarine, but the U-boat was far enough down to escape the full force of the blow. The men in the U-boat were thrown hither and thither. The submarine did not sprink a leak, but one engine was disabled and, as the boat was crippled the cruise was abandoned.

The return trip was one long succession of "ups and downs" the submarine being obliged to submerge as often as once an hour to avoid British patrol ships. The sensations of the passengers during the dives and when the submarine was carefully feeling its way to the surface, ignorant of whether a British ship might not be waiting to ram her, were by no means agreeable, and the extreme variations of temperature between the submerged and surface positions were hard to bear.

The food aboard was good and abundant, the boat having been provisioned for a four weeks' cruise. When the submarine arrived in the North sea the commander announced that he would put Captain Jacobsen and his wife and child aboard the first eastbound Norwegian steamer, but none was encountered. The commander then proceeded for Horn's Reef, where he hoped to find a Danish fishing boat. But these had all disappeared.

The arrival at Heligoland, where the commander, owing to earlier achievements, is highly popular, was a triumphal entry. The entire crew of 42 men came on deck. As the submarine slowly entered the harbor its orchestra of 15 men played the German anthem. The commander, holding Solveig by the hand, stood on the bridge acknowledging the cheers from the other craft in the bay.

Although the entire civilian population of Heligoland was transferred to the mainland at the outbreak of hostilities, Captain Jacobsen saw many civilians among the thousands of soldiers and sailors now garrisoning the island.

The name of the commander of the German submarine which sank the Lusitania has never been officially announced. The latest unofficial announcement named Captain Max Valentiner, son of the dean of the Sondersburg cathedral, as the submarine captain responsible for the Lusitania's destruction.

Old papers for shelves and floors, 5 cents per bundle of 50, at The Star office. advt tf

WAIT FOR APPROPRIATION

Before Beginning Investigation Into High Living Cost.

Washington, D. C., Feb. 21.—No move will be made by the federal trade commission to begin the food cost investigation it was learned today, until congress appropriates money with which to conduct it. The President approved a request for $400,000 for the inquiry and the commission has outlined an investigation to cost that sum and to cover a period of from six to eight months.

The President has let it be known that he will insist that the appropriation be made before congress adjourns. The house appropriation committee failed to include it in the sundry appropriation bill, but when the bill reaches the house the provision will be offered as an amendment.

STATE TO SEIZE LAND FOR DEFENSE PURPOSES

BILL PASSED ASSEMBLY WITH BUT ONE DISSENTING VOTE

Albany, Feb. 21. — With the state's law making machinery operating at high speed, the Brown bill, authorizing the state to seize and transfer to the federal government the land at Rockaway beach desired for coast defense purposes, was enacted today and was signed by Governor Whitman.

Immediately after approving the measure the Governor directed Adjutant General Stotesbury, State Engineer Williams and Supt. of Public Works Witherspoon to acquire the land by virtue of the power conferred upon them by the terms of the bill. He also sent a telegram to Secretary of War Baker, informing him of the enabling legislation as follows:

"I desire to call your attention to the fact that the legislature has passed and I have this day approved an act to amend the state law, relative to the acquisition of land by the state for purposes of public defense. This act gives me power, after certain provisions have been complied with, to convey title of land to be used for purposes of defense to the United States government. Immediately upon approving the act and pursuant to its provision, I directed the commission created by the act, consisting of the adjutant general, state engineer and superintendent of public works, to acquire such land as is desired by the federal government for the purposes of public defense in Rockaway Beach."

The bill authorizing the seizure of the land was introduced in the senate yesterday by Majority Leader Brown after opposition had been voiced against the passage of a measure introduced by Senator Ogden L. Mills of New York to authorize the officials of New York city to transfer to a private corporation title to certain lands under water. The enactment of this legislation was a condition to the sale by the corporation to the government of the land wanted for a fortifications site.

In order that the passage of the Brown bill might be expedited, the Governor sent an emergency message to the legislature today, in which he certified that the legislation was necessary. The bill was passed in the senate unanimously, and concurrent action was taken by the assembly shortly afterwards, a Socialist member casting the only vote in opposition.

Tracer Shells.

It is one thing to stop a hostile battery in an artillery duel and another problem altogether to hit it. The locality may be well known, but the range difficult to determine. To simplify matters in this respect "tracer" shells are used. Into the base of the shell a metal case is screwed containing a material which is self igniting as the projectile rushes through space. For night operations the material used in the "tracer" bursts into a brilliant flame, but by day the "tracer" leaves a trail of dense black smoke. By this means the gunners are able to watch and time the shell right up to the moment the explosion takes place, and by knowing the locality in which the shell bursts the adjustment to the range of the target is comparatively a simple matter.—London Mail.

Peddlers Must Take Baths.

Periodical baths for street peddlers have been decreed by the La Plata (Argentina) city government. For violation of the rule the penalty is the revocation of the offender's license. To insure that the baths are thorough it is provided that they shall be taken in a municipal establishment under the direction of a sanitary inspector.

$3.50 Per Bushel for Potatoes.

Corning, Feb. 21. — In Steuben county, the second potato growing county in the United States, the price of potatoes reached a high record today, when commission dealers paid farmers $3.50 a bushel at the town of Campbell.

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"I guarantee my ointment," says Peterson, "to cure eczema; to stop the itching at once and any reliable druggist will cheerfully refund your money if PETERSON'S OINTMENT doesn't do everything I say it will do."

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WOMEN OF THE GHETTO BATTLE WITH POLICE

FOOD RIOTS IN NEW YORK. CROWD STORMING CITY HALL

Spurred on by anarchistic speeches of their leaders, more than 1,000 women and boys of the Ghetto swarmed down on New York city hall and attempted to force an audience with the mayor in an effort to lower the prices of food.

On their way from the Ghetto the women wrecked pushcarts and fought the police every foot of the way. When the police attempted to break up the crowds in front of city hall a riot started that assumed serious proportions. Finally, under a charge by the mounted police, the crowd broke and was scattered after numerous arrests were made.

D. & H. LEAGUE BOWLING.

Yard Takes Two Away from Freight House Monday Evening.

On Monday night the Yard Office defeated the Freight House two out of the three games rolled. There was a lot of excitement for both teams. Waters captured the honors for the night's play with 211 for a single.

Freight House:				
Gunther	101	109	156	366
Swartfiguer	122	168	144	444
Cummings	120	117	123	360
Waters	116	109	211	436
Westcott	160	190	139	489
Totals	629	713	773	2115
Team average—705.				
Yard Office:				
Firman	131	146	150	427
Brown	181	162	170	413
Schoonmaker	166	189	132	487
Mahon	121	152	138	411
Prindle	143	125	136	404
Totals	742	774	726	2242
Team average—747 1-3.				

League Standing.

	W.	L.	P. C.
Dispatchers	36	12	.750
Round House	24	24	.500
Yard Office	25	26	.490
Freight House	21	28	.429
Engineering Dept.	17	31	.354

The Elks team would like to get a match game with any five man team in the city for next Monday night.

Razzle Dazzle.

Westcott	171	145	178	494
Hurley	143	148	169	460— 954
Graves	184	178	156	518
Laskaris	178	193	208	579—1097
Larkaris	178	193	208	579
Bates	158	175	142	475—1054
McKean	213	168	214	595
Bates	133	202	180	515—1110
Lawson	132	134	104	370
Bates	174	172	178	524— 894
McKean	213	168	214	595
Graves	159	209	211	579—1174
Bates	196	201	185	582
Hotaling	195	165	169	529—1111
Hotaling	183	202	168	553
Hurley	157	157	161	475—1028
Westcott	151	158	153	462
Graves	202	200	177	579—1041
Hurley	185	179	185	549
Graves	202	200	177	579—1128

Oneonta Club Bowling.

Atwater's team carried off the honors at the club alleys last evening, winning three straight games from Goodrich's team. Following are the scores:

Atwater	167	147	162
Dauley	162	125	148
Smith	167	169	149
Ronan	125	125	125
Totals	621	566	584
Goodrich	163	152	130
Huntington	139	136	162
Elmore	114	129	105
Benedict	164	136	142
Totals	580	552	539

Y. M. C. A. Bowling.

Cubs:			
Shaw	122	127	126
Pratt	100	133	141
Case	108	138	115
McLaury	156	133	110
Benedict	111	90	97
Totals	597	621	589
Yankees:			
Wolcott	81	120	143
Webb	100	100	100
St. John	144	119	121
Winans	100	100	100
Craft	141	146	93
Totals	566	585	557

"Father George" Not an Admiral.

A Barnegat schoolma'am had been telling her pupils something about George Washington, and finally she asked:

"Can any one now tell me which Washington was—a great general or a great admiral?"

The small son of a fisherman raised his hand, and she signaled him to speak.

"He was a great general," said the boy. "I saw a picture of him crossing the Delaware, and no great admiral would put out from shore standing up in a skiff."—American Boy.

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Romantic fat ladies continue to be en regle in all select circles. Making love to them is usually attended by large returns.—Life.

Stopped the Buzzing.

Alice (with newspaper)—It says here that yawning will remove that annoying buzzing in one's ears. Edith—That's true! Last night when Mr. Staylate had been talking steadily to me for three hours I yawned twice, and he went home.—Boston Transcript.

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FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL

New York Markets.

New York, Feb. 21. — Declines outnumbered advances in today's professional market, which most often reflected the increasing perplexities arising from international conditions. Business during the forenoon was fairly large and broad, but the balance of the session was marked by a steady diminution of operations.

Shippings were again materially affected by the further delay respecting their status, Mercantile Marines losing 1½ to 3 points with over 4 for Atlantic, Gulf & West Indies.

U. S. Steel at no time equalled its best quotation of the previous day. Related industrials, including Bethlehem Steel and the "rights" thereto declined over 2 points and Gulf State Steel fell six points.

Coppers, yesterday's strong features, were lower, with equipments, motors, oils, Industrial Alcohol, distillers securities, Central Leather and American Woolen, while Ohio Gas forfeited part of the previous day's recovery.

Among the less active utilities and specialties Montana Power registered a gain of 6 points, Brooklyn Rapid Transit 2¾, Consolidated Gas of Baltimore 1¾ and National Enameling 2¾ points.

New York Produce.

Butter — Irregular; receipts, 14,814 tubs; creamery higher than extras, 44@44½; extras, 92 score, 43½; first, 38½@43; seconds, 36@37½.

Eggs — Irregular; receipts, 7,789 cases; fresh gathered, extra fine, 47½@48; extra firsts, 47; firsts, 46½; seconds and lower grades, 45@46; nearby hennery whites, fine to fancy, 49@50; browns, 47½@48.

New York Meats.

Beeves — Receipts, 2,500 head; barely steady; steers, $8.50@11.30; bulls, $6.25@9; cows, $4.80@8.25.

Calves — Receipts, 1,590 head; market, steady; veals, $11@15.50; culls, $8@10.50; fed calves, $7@9; Ohio and Indiana, $7.50@8.70½.

Sheep and Lambs — Receipts, 5,040 head; market, nominal; common to good lambs, $12@14.75.

Hogs — Receipts, 5,480 head; market, firm; light to heavy, $12.25@12.90; roughs, $11.40; pigs, $11.50@12.

ONEONTA MARKET.

Prices Paid Producers.

Butter, fresh dairy	41@42
Butter, creamery	43@44
Eggs, fresh laid, dozen	40
Cheese, lb.	25
Potatoes	$1.85
Live poultry	20
Spring Chickens	20
Dressed hogs	12@14
Dressed beef	10@11
Veal, grain fed	12@13
Veal, sweet milk calves	14@15

Grain and Feeds.

(Prices Charged at Retail).

Salt, barrel	$1.90
Corn	$1.31
Corn meal, cwt.	$2.38
Oats	74
Hominy	$2.40
Winter middlings	$2.32

Hides.

(Quoted by Miller Hide Co.)

Cow hides	17
Bull hides	13
Horse hides	$6.00to7.00
Veal skins	$2.50to4.50
Dairy skins	$1.75to2.25

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The Crying Needs of the Times

An Official Public Information Bureau to Instruct People in Home Treatment of Coughs, Grip, Catarrh and Kindred Ills, As in This Article

By a Newspaper Editor, After a Paper By a Professor of Physiology.

To the pitiful lack of knowledge in home treatment of colds, coughs, grip and catarrh must be charged a large proportion of New York city's over 700 deaths from pneumonia in one week in January. Were there some central authorized authority to issue Advisory Health Bulletins the people would know that catarrh victims are peculiarly susceptible to colds, leading to grip and pneumonia. For instance, every family should know that if taken in time nearly every cold, racking cough or grip can be relieved by a tablespoonful four times a day of a simple syrup of ¼ pint of hot water and four ounces of sugar prepared at home and added to the formula known as Parmint. While many readers of this paper already know that for about seventy-five cents Parmint formula may be obtained from most druggists, it is a great act of public service to continue to spread this knowledge until every person in the land shall know that this wonderfully successful English formula speedily relieves coughs, clogged nostrils, tight breathing, throat droppings and head noises—and if continued with, points the way to entirely removing the cause of catarrh by destroying the germ, cleansing the blood of impurities, and by its tonic effect, restoring the system to a perfectly healthy state. Catarrh victims should know that local applications, ointments, inhalers, sprays, etc., are at best only temporary in effect—that they often create or intensify deafness by irritating the air passages and increasing inflammation in the tubes leading to the so-called middle ear. The only proper and safe way to treat catarrh is by constitutional correction of the blood. Advt.

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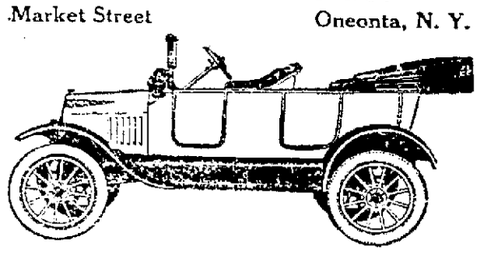

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OTSEGO COUNTY NEWS

TIMELY AND FORCEFUL SERMON.

Rev. C. L. Herrick Preaches Eloquent Sermon at Banquet at Baptist Church.

Worcester, Feb. 21.—Last Sunday having been designated a day of national prayer for peace, at the union service of the Baptist church, in the evening, the pastor, Rev. C. L. Herrick, preached an especially timely and forceful sermon in observance of the occasion. His text was a part of Dan. 4:27, Break off thy sins by righteousness, and thy iniquities by shewing mercy to the poor; if it may be a lengthening of thy tranquility.

Nebuchadnezzar was a type of world powers or nations. God demands of nations (1) that they recognize him as the Lord of all and that their rulers hold office at his pleasure and must give account to him; (2) morality; (3) righteous laws and justice of man with man and (4) due regard for the poor.

History has proven this and that nations decay because of sins. Will America heed the admonition to break off her sins, that there may be granted by the God of Heaven a lengthening of her tranquility? A forceful exhortation of the preacher was that men today ought to talk politics less and pray more. The usual congregation was present but it is regrettable that every person of the community was not present to hear the sermon.

The Proverbial Golden Eggs.

If market conditions continue in the direction they are trending the farmer who has some potatoes to sell will be equally fortunate with the man who owned the goose that laid the golden eggs. The price paid at the local market now is $2.50 per bushel and there are no indications that top notch has yet been reached.

Birth.

Saturday night the stork left a new baby girl at the home of Principal and Mrs. L. L. Robinson. She was enrolled under the name of Elaine Amelia.

Sleighride Load to East Worcester.

This evening a sleighride load of young people and High school teachers go to East Worcester to attend the evangelistic meetings now in progress there. The party numbers about 25 altogether.

Moves to Flat Over Store.

James Derupsey and family have moved into the flat over their store. The rooms have been remodeled and thoroughly renovated and now make a very desirable dwelling.

MARYLAND MATTERS.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Record Pleasantly Surprised by Friends.

Maryland, Feb. 21.—Last Friday night about forty friends of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Record took possession of their home and proceeded to have a good time. Dancing, games and music were enjoyed until a late hour when delicious refreshments were served. It was a complete surprise to the Record family but after they realized it was just a few friends in for a pleasant evening they did everything possible to have everybody enjoy themselves. The only thing lacking was a whipped cream cake.

To Hold Dance.

The K. O. T. M. will hold a dance Friday night, February 23, at their hall. Cannings' orchestra will furnish music; supper will be served at midnight. Bill 75 cents.

Another Surprise Party.

On Tuesday evening about 40 friends of Charles Trask endeavored to make his birthday such a pleasant affair he would not forget it for some years to come. The evening was passed with music and games, then delicious refreshments were served, after which the guests departed wishing Charles many happy returns of the day. There were guests present from Hobart, Stamford, Oneonta and Maryland village.

Minor Maryland Mention.

Misses Flossie and Alice Blencoe were week-end guests of their aunt in Milford.—Mrs. Estella Randall of Sidney is the guest of her daughter, Mrs. R. B. Safford.—Miss Bessie Norris of Schenevus spent Saturday with her friend, Miss Laura Gurney. — Mrs. Ehrenfels and daughter, Miss Anna, attended the funeral of a relative in Otego Wednesday. Mrs. J. E. Smith taught in Miss Ehrenfels room in the High school.—Misses Maud and Alma Cady of Oneonta were at their home here for several days on account of the illness of their father, D. D. Cady. Mr. Cady still continues very ill.—Banner Marble, who has been spending several weeks with his daughter in St. Louis, Mo., returned to his home the first of the week.—Clyde Hall of Milford was a guest at Cyrus Blence's for several days last week.—Mr. and Mrs. Keith Cushman and Mrs. Charles Brown of Schuyler Lake are guests at L. G. Southworth's. Wednesday night Mrs. Southworth entertained a few friends in their honor.—John Kenyon lost a valuable horse last week. — Oscar Hynds of Hyndsville returned home Monday, after visiting his nephew, R. B. Safford.—B. F. VanZandt, R. B. Safford and Mr. Hynds spent Sunday in Cooperstown.

INTERESTING W. C. T. U. MEETING

Milford Society Observe Frances Willard Memorial Day.

Milford, Feb. 21.—The Milford Woman's Christian Temperance union held a Frances E. Willard memorial meeting at the home of Mrs. D. L. Sayre Tuesday afternoon that was very well attended. After scripture reading and prayer Rev. N. B. Ripley presented a petition for signatures for Sunday closing of all moving picture shows and nearly all present signed it. Roll call was answered with quotations from Miss Willard's writings.

Following a very interesting speech on Miss Willard and her works by Mrs. William C. Byard, the president, readings were given by Mrs. E. Jewell, Mrs. N. S. Becker, Mrs. W. C. Byard, Miss Julia Soule and Rev. N. B. Ripley, Mr. Ripley telling some very interesting and amusing anecdotes of Miss Willard. Mrs. N. Saxton read a letter from the county president; the keynote being national prohibition. After the literary program, refreshments were served and a social hour enjoyed.

Will Entertain Card Club.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Osborn will entertain the members of the Young People's Card club at their home on Saturday evening of this week.

Third Lecture Course Number.

The Musical Merrymakers, the third number on the lecture course, were greeted with a large and appreciative audience at the Methodist Episcopal church last evening. Despite the weather conditions many extra tickets were sold which was very gratifying to the committee in charge. The entertainment was, as advertised, first class and all were highly pleased with the work of the entire company, which was certainly of a high order.

The next and last number is a lecture by Dr. C. C. Mitchell on Tuesday evening, March 13.

Washington's Birthday.

The Milford National bank will be closed all day Thursday, Washington's birthday, and the post office part of the day. The High school, however, will be in session all day.

DELIGHTFUL ENTERTAINMENT.

Jesse Small Gives Enjoyable Program at Unadilla Friday Evening.

Unadilla, Feb. 21. — On Friday evening Jesse Small, assisted by his wife and daughter, entertained a fair sized audience at the H. Y. Canfield Hose house. The program consisted of dancing, singing and speaking. All enjoyed the entertainment.

Secures Position at Bank.

Joseph H. Brown, for years assistant postmaster, entered upon his duties in the Unadilla National bank on Tuesday morning. Mr. Brown has been taking a month's rest after leaving the post office.

Before Lent Party.

A Before Lent party was given by the ladies of St. Matthew's church on Monday evening of this week from 8 until 1 o'clock. Dancing and cards were enjoyed by all, after which delicious refreshments were served. The party was held in the H. Y. Canfield Hose house. The proceeds, which were about $15, will be spent for caps for the choir of the church.

Bearers at Funeral.

The bearers at the funeral of the late Mrs. Charles Bishop on Saturday were: George Whitaker, Jerome Secord, Monte Cone, Charles C. Flaesch, Jack Normile and Frank Tyson.

LATE NEWS FROM MORRIS.

Washington Birthday Social to be Given by Epworth League.

Morris, Feb. 21.—On Friday evening of this week the Epworth league of the Methodist Episcopal church will hold a Washington birthday social at E. S. Niles' residence on Hargrave street.

The admission is a cent for every letter in the words George Washington.

Elected Officers.

The annual meeting of the Parish guild of Zion church was held with Mrs. L. A. Hewell last Thursday afternoon and the following officers were elected:

President—Mrs. Sarah Gardner.
Secretary—Mrs. R. R. Ripley.
Treasurer—Mrs. L. A. Hewell.

After the meeting afternoon tea was served.

Village Caucus.

A union caucus of the electors of the village of Morris will be held at the Town house Saturday evening of this week at 7:30 to nominate candidates for corporation officers to be voted for at the election on Tuesday, March 20. A president, one trustee for two years, a collector and a treasurer.

Linn Tractors Sold.

The Linn tractors are becoming very popular after they have been seen working. Last week a representative of a state road firm was in Morris witnessing demonstrations by the machine and were so well pleased that before they left they contracted for a machine to be delivered May 20, and would have taken another if they could have gotten one, but the company is not in shape to furnish it so soon. This makes five tractors that have been sold to be delivered as soon as they can be made. The shop will start up about March 1, and will turn them out as fast as possible. As it looks now they will have to work some to make them as fast as they can sell them.

Attended District Meeting.

Rev. C. C. Volz of the Methodist Episcopal church was in Bainbridge Monday and Tuesday in attendance at the District Ministerial meeting. He read a paper before the meeting.

Local Newslets.

Public rhetoricals will be held at the High school building on Friday afternoon at 1:30.—Stanley Backus and wife of Hartwick were Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Ora Backus. —Mrs. Fred Nichols returned Friday from a visit in Brooklyn and Binghamton. She was accompanied by her cousin, Mrs. Ann Van Rensselaer Smith, and daughter of Binghamton, who are visiting friends and acquaintances.—Two new members were received into the Universalist church last Sunday.—The other day an auto truck brought 400 empty egg crates from Mt. Upton for the Gage Brothers. It was the biggest load ever seen on our streets.—Last week the last payment was made on the town's indebtedness caused by the flood of August, 1902, in washing out bridges and destroying road beds.

MIDDLEFIELD CENTER.

Middlefield Center, Feb. 21.—The Presbyterian brotherhood met in the lecture room of the church on Monday evening.—There will be a Farm bureau meeting here next week Wednesday afternoon.—The Home Economic club will also hold a meeting here at the same time.—Harry Winn spent the first of the week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Abram Winn.—Mrs. George Groat entertained several friends on Saturday evening.—Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Cunningham attended church in Cherry Valley on Sunday, remaining for dinner with Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Barnum.—Mr. and Mrs. Louis Barnum and son, Norman, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Barnum on Sunday.—Volney Webster of East Springfield has purchased W. C. Van Deusen's stock of merchandise and is moving the same to his store in East Springfield.—Howard Cunningham returned home on Monday from a two weeks' stay in Rochester, Ithaca and Binghamton.—Mrs. Samuel Morrison still remains quite poorly. Dr. Gillett of Roseboom called to see her on Sunday.

WEST ONEONTA OCCURRENCES.

West Oneonta, Feb. 21.—Irvin Beckley and son of Portlandville spent Saturday night and Sunday with his sister, Mrs. Etta Crydenwise.—Miss Ruth Manning of Albany spent the week-end with her parents, Rev. and Mrs. C. H. Manning.—Miss Marcia Blair of Oneonta was the guest Friday night of her cousin, Mrs. Don Harris.—Mr. More and niece of East End attended the donation at the Baptist church Friday evening. Rev. Christensen received $95.—Willis Butler, wife and son of the Plains were guests at C. L. Weatherly's Sunday afternoon. — Phillip Jencks, wife and daughter and Emerson Bull attended the mock trial at Oneonta recently.—Miss Sawyer, an advance worker for the Scoburn Union Evangelistic meetings, was in town Thursday and Friday making arrangements for union meetings here commencing March 21.

HARTWICK NEWS.

Hartwick, Feb. 21.—The children of the Christian Sunday school enjoyed a sleighride Saturday, after which the ladies of the church furnished a free oyster supper, which was much enjoyed. Everyone pronounced the "winter picnic" a success. — The W. C. T. U. will meet Friday with Mrs. Eliza Lake.—Mr. and Mrs. George Milton Augur, Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Talbut, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Talbut, Mr. and Mrs. D. I. Talbut, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Carr, Mr. and Mrs. E. Bennett and Dr. B. I. Talbut were in Oneonta Sunday in attendance at the funeral of the late Isaac Alger.—We regret to learn that Fred Fuller is seriously ill.—The opening shows at the new theatre have proven very successful.

WEST LAURENS OFFERINGS.

West Laurens, Feb. 21. — Regular meeting of the West Laurens grange will be held Saturday evening, February 24. Merton Porter of Morris will be present and show some stereopticon views with his lantern.—Dr. Howard Naylor is confined to the house on account of a dislocated knee. —Walter Cornell attended Farmers' week at Ithaca last week.—Miss Christina Jensen has gone to Cooperstown where she will take a course at the Thanksgiving hospital as a trained nurse.—Fred and Lewis Dyer attended the funeral of Mrs. Caroline Prosser at New Berlin on Wednesday. — Lewis Williams, who was injured on a steam shovel on the state road last fall and who later broke his left arm the second time, is now seriously ill of appendicitis.—Miss Mary Bridges of Morris was a week-end guest at the home of Dr. Naylor.

COOPERSTOWN JUNCTION.

Cooperstown Junction, Feb. 21. — At the donation for the Rev. W. A. Thomas last Friday night about $35 was realized. — Miss Nellie Every was home from Troy over Sunday, returning Monday. — Mrs. S. C. Tait entertained her brother from Kortright one day last week. — Fred Rowland, who has worked A. W. Dayton's farm the past two years will move to W. H. Burnside's farm at Maryland soon. Mr. Burnside has deeded him the entire farm in consideration of caring for them as long as they live. Mrs. Rowland is an adopted daughter of the Burnsides. — The Bible class will hold a banquet this week. — Friends here of Mrs. M. P. VanDeusen of Colliers are sorry to learn of her serious illness.

WAFTED FROM WESTFORD.

Westford, Feb. 21.—Charles Kinch left last week to spend some time with relatives in Pennsylvania. — The friends of Mrs. E. J. Wright sent her a sunshine box last week containing 37 packages.—Lyman Snyder of Hartwick was a caller in town Sunday.—Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Hill have invited the Ladies' Aid society of the Methodist church to meet with them for dinner on Friday of this week. Conveyance will be provided for all who wish to go.—Lee McRorie has purchased a black team to use on his farm and has hired Harry Holmes to work for him.

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DELAWARE COUNTY NEWS

NEW ORGANIZATION PERFECTED.

Sidney Home and School Improvement Association Holds Meeting.

Sidney, Feb. 21.—Last week an organization was perfected in Sidney that will be known as the Sidney Home and School Improvement association and will consist of parents, teachers and others who are interested in the welfare of the Sidney school. At the meeting held in the High school building there were 28 present. Mrs. F. H. McKinnon, president of the Monday club, under whose auspices the movement has been, presided, and the efficient work of the committee of the club under the chairmanship of Mrs. F. D. Bailey was shown by the enthusiasm with which all entered into the movement. Principal Preston of the High school and Prof. C. W. Vandegrift, superintendent of schools, and others were called upon for remarks and all expressed themselves in hearty accord with the movement and it was decided to organize at once. The following were chosen as the first officers of the association: President, Mrs. E. D. Bailey; vice president, Mrs. V. D. Keeler; secretary, Miss Edna Hatfield; treasurer, Miss Carrie Miller. Light refreshments were served at the close of the meeting. It is expected that another meeting will be held this month at which Mrs. Augustus Heckroth of Delhi, who has had experience in similar work, will be present.

Death of Leon Manwarring.

A great many friends in this vicinity learn with deep regret of the death of Leon Manwarring, which occurred at his home near Guilford Sunday morning, February 18, at the age of 26 years, of spinal meningitis, following grip. His funeral will be held today from his late home at 1 p. m., Rev. King of the Guilford Methodist church officiating. He was a son of Charles Manwarring and is well known in this vicinity and at one time attended school in Sidney. He is survived by his wife, father, and three sisters, Clella, of Guilford; Mrs. Amasa Teed of Unadilla, and Miss Hazel of Guilford, the latter a student at the Sidney High school.

Dance Largely Attended.

There were 100 present at the luncheon and dance of the All Be 'Appy club held Thursday evening. Dancing began at Municipal hall at 9 o'clock and lasted until 1 a. m., an elaborate dinner being served at the Hotel DeCumber at 11 o'clock. The dining room and tables were prettily decorated with American flags. This will be the last of the club's series of dances until after the Lenten season when one more will be given.

Dickinson-Keeton Nuptials.

The marriage of Harry Oliver Dickinson and Miss Henrietta Keeton was solemnized yesterday morning at 11:30 o'clock at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Keeton, Avery street. Rev. Ernest R. Ladbrook of St. Paul's Episcopal church officiating. The full ring service was used. They were unattended and only the immediate families of the bride and groom and a few intimate

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LISTEN TO THIS! SAYS CORNS LIFT RIGHT OUT NOW

You reckless men and women who are pestered with corns and who have at least once a week invited an awful death from lockjaw or blood poison are now told by a Cincinnati authority to use a drug called freezone, which the moment a few drops are applied to any corn, the soreness is relieved and soon the entire corn, root and all, lifts out with the fingers.

It is a sticky ether compound which dries the moment it is applied and simply shrivels the corn without inflaming or even irritating the surrounding tissue or skin. It is claimed that a quarter of an ounce of freezone will cost very little at any of the drug stores, but is sufficient to rid one's feet of every hard or soft corn or callus.

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Doctor Tells How to Strengthen Eyesight 50 Per Cent in One Week's Time in Many Instances

A Free Prescription You Can Have Filled and Use at Home.

Philadelphia, Pa. Do you wear glasses? *Are you a victim of eye strain or other eye weaknesses?* If so, you will be glad to know that according to Dr. Lewis there is real hope for you. Many whose eyes were failing say they have had their eyes restored through the principle of this wonderful free prescription. One many says, after trying it: I was almost blind; could not see to read at all. Now I can read everything without any glasses and my eyes do not water any more. At night they would pain dreadfully now they feel fine all the time. It was like a miracle to me." A lady who used it says: "The atmosphere seemed hazy with or without glasses, but after using this prescription for 15 days everything seems clear. I can even read fine print without glasses." It is believed that thousands who wear glasses can now discard them in a reasonable time and multitudes more will be able to strengthen their eyes so as to be spared the trouble and expense of ever getting glasses. Eye troubles of many descriptions may be wonderfully benefited by following the following simple rules. Here is the prescription: Go to any active drug store and get a bottle of Bon Opto tablets. Drop one Bon-Opto tablet in a fourth of a glass of water and allow to dissolve. With this liquid bathe the eyes two to four times daily. You should notice your eyes clear up perceptibly right from the start and inflammation will quickly disappear. If your eyes are bothering you, even a little, take steps to save them now before it is too late. Many hopelessly blind might have been saved if they had cared for their eyes in time.

Note: Another prominent physician to whom the above article was submitted, said: Bon-Opto is a very remarkable remedy. Its constituent ingredients are well known to eminent eye specialists and widely prescribed by them. The manufacturers guarantee it to strengthen eyesight 50 per cent in one week's time in many instances or refund the money. It can be obtained from any good druggist and is one of the very few preparations I feel should be kept on hand for regular use in almost every family." It is sold in this city by Albert Hutson, Inc. Advt.

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT INDIAN LAND OPENING, SOUTHEASTERN OKLAHOMA

To close up the affairs of the Choctaw Indians (one of the five civilized tribes) the Government will offer the public over 400,000 acres of valuable land, suitable for FARMING, FRUIT GROWING and STOCK RAISING. This land contains much valuable merchantable Timber, consisting of both PINE and various HARDWOODS, the soil is deep, rich and very fertile; growing anything that grows in the temperate zone, often two crops a year, 38 to 42 inches average annual rainfall, near market Towns, etc. The land will probably average $3 to $7 an acre, payable in four annual payments. It can be bought for a HOME or an INVESTMENT as the Government does not require any residence or improvements from those who purchase.

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STATE HIGHWAY WORK.

In the press of different parts of the state a degree of surprise is expressed over the fact that on many state roads for which bids were to have been opened on Tuesday, there were no proposals whatever, and that in most of the others there were only one or two. There were perhaps half a dozen in a single instance, but in no case was there such a long list of bidders as in other years we had been accustomed to see

In reality there seems to be no reason for surprise or disappointment. The difficulty which everywhere is experienced in securing labor is well known, and that even in road manufacture the staple materials have greatly advanced in cost, with every prospect for further increase both for materials and labor any bid at this time would be mere guesswork, and even the most liberal of the proposals is likely to have all profits wiped out by a sudden rise. It is not remarkable, therefore, that contractors are willing to rest on their oars, and to wait for more settled conditions

While in localities where it has been proposed to build highways, there will be disappointment and doubtless urgent demand for resubmission of the proposals, it seems to be the opinion of wise and experienced heads that it is just as well to "bide a wee." No contractor would venture now to take a piece of construction unless at an advance of from 25 to 50 per cent over the original estimates. There is only just so much money to spend, and when this is used up road building must stop unless there is a further bond issue voted, which under the circumstances is improbable So it is advised, and perhaps wisely, that contracts now under way be completed, and then road building left for a year or two, until perhaps the cost of labor and material declines considerably. Then there will be a chance of completing all the work within the appropriation, which now there certainly is not.

AS A MAN THINKETH.

No more contemptible utterance was ever made in congress or by a congressman than that of a few days ago at Chicago by a southern representative who charged that the present so-called war scare had been fomented and incited by the great munitions plants, and that these companies had subsidized ten of the principal newspapers of the country to be their mouthpieces in the work of inciting the country to war. The statement is unquestionably and utterly false and the maker of it should not have the respect of a single American. Instead of ten leading papers being purchased agents of a war propaganda, it is not probable that a single paper could be induced for money to spread such a sentiment abroad

"As a man thinketh, in his heart, so is he," is a saying of the wise Solomon many generations ago. The speech which Representative Callaway of Texas made is doubtless indicative of the thing which he believes would appeal to the press and the people. It is to the honor of the nation that practically no one else believes it. But the sentiment which a man attributes to another is often drawn from intimate knowledge of what to him would seem a sufficiently impelling cause of action in any one As a man thinketh—."

CANDIDATE FOR COUNTY CLERK.

Supervisor William L. Smith of New Lisbon Seeks Republican Nomination.

William L. Smith of New Lisbon announces that he is a candidate for the Republican nomination for the office of county clerk which he will be called at the election to be held next November, and he solicits the support of his friends in his canvass for the primary nomination.

Mr. Smith is a native of the town of New Lisbon and a life-long resident He has been supervisor of that township continuously with the exception of two years since 1899 and for one year was chairman of the board A man of ability, he has a wide circle of friends not only in the Butternut valley but throughout the county and there is no doubt that he will have a generous support in his canvass

Boy Scouts Drilling

The meeting for Boy Scouts called last night at the State armory, brought out more than 40 lads who expressed a desire to take part in the work of the organization, and it was decided that with not a little more interest among the lads of the city between the ages of 12 and 18 years, two full troops can be started on active work The troops will be separated according to the size of the lads enrolled in them, a move that will permit of better work in drilling, but all will receive approximately the same instruction. If the lads can realize that only by regular attendance at meetings can the movement be made a success, they will have grasped the first principle of their organization, and the Oneonta troops can be live organization

NICKLE LOOKS LITTLE TODAY.

High Cost of Living Hits Street Car Men in a Thousand Ways.

"While passengers on the trolley cars are paying the same fare they paid ten years ago the cost of street car transportation has risen enormously, because of the advances in materials, wages and taxes, and because of the continuation of antiquated customs," is the statement of a prominent western railway official.

One of the customs referred to is the paving tax, which was originally assessed on the theory that the animals that pulled the old horse cars wore out the pavement between the tracks. When electricity came to give speedier and more comfortable service the paving tax was continued just the same, although the reason for this disappeared Taxes have risen about 200 per cent in the past few years Wages have been increased about 50 per cent within the same period. The price of materials has also soared Copper has risen 200 per cent, cone 100 per cent, journal brasses 55 per cent, nickle bars 22 per cent, car fenders 33 per cent, crucibles 19 per cent, cables 141 per cent, twist drills 63 per cent, gas and hose cocks 33 per cent, lamp cords 41 per cent, spring cotters 48 per cent, tally nooks 28 per cent, twine 48 per cent, claim hacks 55 per cent, lumber 50 per cent, rails 33 per cent and cells 57 per cent These are but a few of the thousand and one materials necessary to equip and operate trolley lines. Practically every article has gone up in price within the last few years from 5 to 300 per cent

The incursion of jitneys has further curtailed trolley earnings and the future of street car transportation is a serious matter with officials throughout the country Many trolley lines have filed tariffs with public service commissions providing for increases. Whether these will be granted or not is problematical Relief must be had in some form for the nickle can no longer stand the strain, say the street railway men. Whether it will be from increased earnings or decreased costs or less service, cannot be foreseen

NOTARIES PUBLIC FOR OTSEGO.

List of Appointments Recently Made for Two Year Term.

The following is a list of appointments of notaries recently made by Governor Whitman for Otsego county for the term of two years which will end March 30, 1919:

Burlington Flats—Jasper D Fitch.

Cherry Valley—James W Barnum, Clarence M. Bates, Willard S. Gibbons, Almond Cramer.

Cooperstown—Lelah M Ames, Fred E. Boyce, Edward S. Brockham, Charles B Gorham, Arthur W. Henness, Henry E. Lewis, Ferdinand W Spraker, Clermonte, G Tennant, Orange L Vanflorne, Louis F. Walrath Bessie L Wiles

Edmeston—John L Shaw, Ulysses G. Welch.

Fly Creek—Harold D Carpenter.

Gilbertsville—William Hankey, John L. Hollis.

Hartwick—Herbert O. Branch, William O. Hintermeister, Edmund Woolsey Lockwood, Elmer O. Sergent Ora W. Murdock.

Milford—John M. Cady, Fred L. Platt.

Morris—Merritt Bridges

Mount Vision—Bruce Robinson

Oneonta—William P. Abbott, Chas Jacob Beams, Edward F. Burke, Francis M Campbell, Andrew E Ceperley Sheldon H. Closs, James R Gerling, Harry M. Goldsmith, Lynn W Hathaway, Edson A. Hayward, Adolphus E Howell, William L. Hilzinger Clarence E. Holmes, Everett B. Holmes, DeForest Keyes, Fred L Larrabee, A L. Levey, Henry Dewhurst McLury, Robert O Marshall Silas S Matteson, Olson A Miller, Washington Roblee Charles F Shelland, Henry Shove, Theodore W. Snyder, Fred Newton VanWie, Ethel M Whittier

Otego—Sherman Burdick

Richfield Springs—Vernon A. Cameron George A Peckham William T Walden

Schenevus—Herbert Bernard, Lillian C Chase James Patrick Filey Karl Green.

Schuyler Lake—George M Flansburg

South Edmeston—Charles H Gazlay.

South Valley—Orson D Hatton

Unadilla—Charles C Flansch Frederick H Meeker, Jerome S Seacord, Frances A. Seamin

Westford—Fred Grant Tuler.

West Edmeston—Clara A Welch

Worcester—George A Sloan John D Tulson

West Exeter—D Lynn M Laughlin

West Oneonta—James B Gilet

Will Pudney a Suicide.

There have been many stories afloat regarding the doings of Will Pudney who formerly resided in Pittsfield and was well known in Morris It was reported that his wife met her death because of his brutality a few weeks ago for which abuse and intoxication he was sent up for thirty days in Madison county, he being then in Brookfield. Last Wednesday evening, shortly after his release from jail he committed suicide by hanging His brief career shows what whiskey will develop in some people, and it never develops the best spirit in anybody —Chronicle.

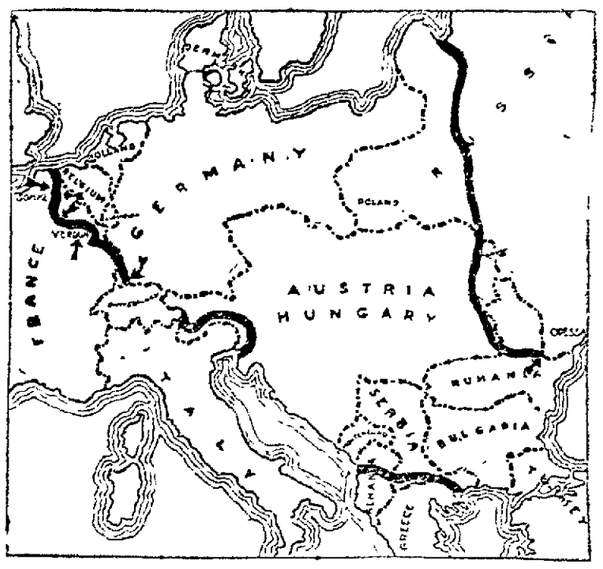
Octogenarians to the Front.

Besides going no-license at last week Tuesday's election our sister town of New Berlin honored itself by electing to office the following octogenarians Town clerk, J L. Fuller, aged 80, inspector of election, E R Fuller, aged 82; overseer of the poor, J S Bradley, aged 84 Can any other town beat this?—(Exchange

Dairymen's League at Laurens.

There will be a meeting of the Dairymen's league at McLaren's hall, Laurens, Friday, February 23 at 2 p. m. All interested in the price of milk are invited to attend.

MAP SHOWING POSSIBLE POINTS OF SPRING OFFENSIVE



The above map shows where the allied spring offensive may open The heavy black line shows the present battle fronts in Europe while the arrows indicate from which points the huge drives may come The greatest effort is expected from General Sir Douglas Haig's new British army which are going to inflict reverses will endeavor to drive the Germans from Belgium Remarkable preparations on all sides indicate that something of more than usual importance will occur at this point

COMMENTS OF THE PRESS

Comes To the Same Thing.

Nothing like a vivid bit of anecdote to drive home an argument. Maj.-Gen Leonard Wood speaking last Saturday on the need of preparedness at the Lotos club, told the story of his meeting an English friend and inquiring after the young son of the family The boy was dead, somewhere in France. 'It isn't his death that I deplore," said the father, but the fact that I sent him into battle unprepared.' The lesson for us in America is obvious.

But over in Germany a traveler whom I need not identify more closely encountered the fathers of a million young men who were dead, everywhere in Europe. 'It isn't their death we deplore, said the million fathers, 'but the fact that the end for which they died should be as far off as ever Imagine—after 40 years of preparation, after years of drill and discipline with the best officers in the world, the heaviest guns, the most abundant supply of ammunition, they went into battle prepared. " " "'—[New York Evening Post

Housewives' Leagues Do Good.

Meanwhile, why isn't a housewives league' organized in every ward of this big town? A score of such societies are working satisfactorily in New Jersey and saving 33 to 40 per cent in family upkeep'

It is thought proper among New Yorkers to describe citizens of the Quaker city" as slow or 'half asleep' Nothing could be more erroneous.

Philadelphia has maintained her markets—the famous Second-street and Franklin markets (the latter at Twelfth and Market streets)—where competition keeps prices at a reasonable figure Mistress and maid, the latter carrying a large basket, go to market every Saturday, buy, see the goods weighed, place them in their basket, pay cash for them and tote them home.

There's no middleman' Expense of delivery is one of the factors and an important one, in the high cost of living —[Brooklyn Eagle

Natural and Artificial Ice

With the great crop of ice which nature has made it would naturally be expected that more harvesting would be done than usual but in Maine once the great storehouse of ice, this is not the case An August newspaper reports that the American Ice company is not planning to fill many of its houses on the Kennebec and Penobscot rivers, whence so many Maine cutters in former days carried ice freights It appears that natural ice no longer amounts to much in the company's business at New York, where the sale is largely of artificial ice. This is true in large measure of other big cities Philadelphia, for instance uses 90 per cent of artificial ice and Boston 70 per cent while in Washington artificial ice is the only thing handled Times changes are thus strikingly shown in the ice business —[Springfield Republican

Who Owns the Falkland Islands?

Few people are aware to this day that the Falkland islands are marked in all Argentine maps and geographies as "unlawfully retained by Great Britain" The origin of the dispute was that England after abandoning the islands in 1771 resumed possession in 1820. The Argentine government protested and, as A Stuart Pennington points out in his book on the country, is even today careful to do nothing which could even apparently recognize the rights of the present possessors" It was for that reason that it declined a proposal a few years ago to run a line of Argentine ships to the islands

Beautiful Bridges.

Popular love of art may be carried too far The author of "Charles Bourbon, Constable of France," tells us that on the occasion of the sack of Rome the citizens refused to secure their safety by taking the advice of their captain, Renzo da Ceri, and cutting the bridges Ponte Quattro Capi and Ponte Sisto The people declined on the ground that they were "too beautiful"

Figure It Out.

Mrs Snobbery—You know that my husband is a retired gentleman farmer? Mrs. Morningcall—Yes, I heard he had retired from something, and I knew he was still farming —New York Globe.

SURROGATE'S COURT.

Proceedings Before Judge Huntington Monday, Feb. 19, at Cooperstown

Estate of Byron J. Murray, late of Plainfield. Proceeding to prove will Adjourned to February 26.

Estate of Caroline M Tilly, late of Laurens Proceeding to prove will. Adjourned to February 21 at Oneonta

Estate of Elmer E Bliss, late of Milford. Proceeding for judicial settlement, and sale of real estate Citation issued returnable March 26

Estate of Margaret Trewitt, late of Burlington. Proceeding to prove will Will admitted to probate and letters testamentary issued to George H. Rutherford. Order appointing Albert N. Bolton and L. T. Conklin appraisers entered. Order to publish notice to creditors entered.

Estate of Lewis S Chase, late of Richfield. Proceeding to prove will Will admitted to probate and letters testamentary issued to Stella Chase Reed. Order to publish notice to creditors entered.

Estate of Alfred E. Wellman, late of Laurens. Proceeding for judicial settlement Decree entered. Petition and vouchers to satisfy decree filed. Satisfaction entered.

Estate of James J Allen, late of Middlefield Proceeding for judicial settlement. Decree entered.

Estate of Daniel Hungerford, late of Unadilla Proceeding to prove will Will admitted to probate and letters testamentary issued to Charles H Broadfoot

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8 a. m.	16
2 p. m.	32
8 p. m.	15

Maximum 34 — Minimum 15

LOCAL MENTION.

—The condition of Henry Bull remained extremely critical last evening, with little or no hope of recovery, a fact which many friends learn with deepest regret.

—Mrs. M. E. Rorick of 134 Chestnut street is in the hospital, where yesterday she had one of her ribs taken out. She is doing as well as can be expected.

—No mail will be delivered today, Washington's birthday, from the Oneonta post office. The stamp, general delivery and registry windows will be open from 7.30 until 10 o'clock a. m. Collections of mail will be made from street letter boxes in the business section of the city and all mail will be dispatched from the office as usual.

—Today, Washington's birthday, is a legal holiday and the banks of the city and other institutions usually observing all holidays will be closed either the entire day or in part. It is understood that the public schools, owing to the delay in opening last fall, will remain in session today. Numerous social events are announced for this evening.

NOTED VIOLINIST COMING.

An Evening of Exquisite Pleasure Promised by the Philharmonics.

Prof Flavien VanDerveken, a pupil of Vieuxtemps and Laureate of the Royal Conservatory of Brussels, also a classmate and intimate friend of the famous Ysays and one of the most noted violin connoisseurs, who has been on an extended tour of the western states, has kindly consented, through his personal friendship for R. E. Gardner to appear at the Philharmonic concert next Monday night to be held in the Theatre Oneonta. This affords an opportunity seldom given the music lovers in cities of this size and should be embraced by all. Mr. VanDerveken's interpretations — the well known Meditation from "Thais" and a composition of his own, accompanied by the Philharmonic orchestra—will be given on his Wieniawski Stradivarius valued at $12,000. This instrument will be on exhibition Monday in the window of Waru's jewelry store.

LADIES OF EASTERN STAR

To Present Program at Masonic Hall This Evening at 8 O'clock.

This evening, at 8 o'clock, at Masonic hall, the ladies of the Eastern Star will present the following program: Master Masons and members of the O. E. S. and families are invited to be present.

Pantomime—America.
Solo—Selected. Arthur N. Coy.
"The Old Peabody Pew."
Solo—Selected. Jerry Wilson.
The Red, White and Blue.

Light refreshments will be served during the evening and the small sum of 15 cents will be asked to defray expenses.

Official Visit to Elks.

District Deputy John H. Richardson last evening paid his official visit to Oneonta lodge, No. 1,012, B. P. O. Elks, and members of the fraternity living in the city and vicinity made the occasion one of unusual interest and enjoyment. A class of eight candidates was initiated into the order and following the regular lodge work a fine supper was served by the entertainment committee. Excellent oysters, roast Virginia ham and trimmings were chief items on the menu and all received hearty consideration from the large number of Elks present.

Noon Hour Shop Meeting.

The regular noon hour meeting at the D. & H. shops, under the direction of the Railroad Y. M. C. A., Friday of this week, will be addressed by Rev. J. A. Rich. Subject: "Danger Signals." He has already proven himself a favorite speaker to men at the shops, and another interesting address is assured. All men are cordially invited. Place, shop No. 25.

Meetings Today.

Regular meeting Autumn lodge, No. 53, this evening in K. of P. hall, at 7:30.

St. James guild will meet this afternoon with Mrs. B. F. Sisson at 36 Main street. Sewing for the Cooperstown orphanage.

If you want tickets for the Philathea-Baraca banquet to be held at the First Baptist church Friday evening, February 23, be sure and get them today at the stores of Henry Saunders or Ralph W. Murdock. advt 1t

Notice.

On or about February 26 I will open a shop and office prepared to do all kinds of sign painting, show card writing and advertising. Location on Wall street. Al. Wall. advt 6t

The person who took the ladies' muff from Laskaris last evening is known and will save trouble by returning same to The Star office at once. advt 1t

5 Harmon Avenue For Rent.

House has four down and three rooms and toilet upstairs, handy to city center. $11. Bard, 8 Broad. advt tf

If you are looking for a good time tonight attend the Washington's Birthday dance at Liberty hall. Dancing from 9 until 1. advt 1t

We have a nice line of satin and straw hats for early spring wear. Miss A. Caswell, Broad street milliner. advt 3t

Finigan's grocery will be open all day today as usual. advt 1t

FIFTY MOTOR CARS BURN

Garage of Dreyfus & Morgan at Delhi Destroyed By Fire

LESLIE THOMPSON SERIOUSLY BURNED.

Total Loss Estimated at $70,000 With Many Cars Insured — Dreyfus & Morgan Suffer Loss of $12,000 With Only $3,000 Insurance — Buildings Owned by C. Deab, Who Had $1,000 Insurance—Mr. Morgan Well Known Here.

Dreyfus & Morgan's garage at Delhi —one of the largest and best equipped in Delaware county—in which were stored 53 motor cars, some of them being among the best owned in that locality—was totally destroyed by fire Wednesday morning, the fire originating shortly after 9 o'clock. All but four of the motor cars were destroyed.

In efforts to extinguish the blaze with hand Pyrenes Leslie Thompson, a machinist, was quite painfully although it is hoped not fatally burned about the legs. But for his clothing catching fire, necessitating giving all attention to him and abandoning efforts to control the blaze, it is believed the building and contents would have been saved. The total loss is believed to be about $70,000 of which Dreyfus & Morgan's share is placed at $12,000. Their insurance is only $3,000.

Three building were burned. The garage was a one-story building about 45x90 feet. In close proximity to it were two other structures of about the same ground space, but two stories high, these being connected by a bridgeway between the second floors with a driveway between them. They were all erected some 24 years ago by the Crawford Wagon Works when that industry was booming. They were owned by Edward C. Dean of Delhi, who purchased them some time ago at a forced sale, he paying $5,000 for the entire property. He had no insurance upon the garage, the rate being very high, but he carried a policy of $1,000 upon the other two buildings. The latter being used for storage purposes.

In the building at the time of the fire's origin were Mr. Morgan, at work in the office, and two machinists, Leslie Thompson and William Hall, Mr. Thompson being engaged in cleaning the engine of March Farrington's Overland touring car. He was using a recognized cleaning liquid found in many first class machine shops and was using it under pressure. The car was two-thirds dismantled but the storage was connected and doubtless a short circuit existed somewhere, for the engine was suddenly enveloped in flames, there being no fire near the car. Mr. Morgan's office door was open and he was not more than 40 feet away from the car. Both he and Mr. Hall hastened to the assistance of Thompson and with hand extinguishers, mostly Pyrene, they were getting the fire under control, when the clothing of Thompson became ignited. When the others had gotten the flames in his clothes extinguished, Thompson showed signs of becoming unconscious from the fumes and smoke and the others were compelled to assist him to the open air. This gave the fire an opportunity to gain headway and they upon their return saw that they could not further combat the fire unaided without great personal risk. Then an alarm was sounded.

The fire department responded promptly and did strenuous work, but it was soon evident that both the gar-

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"THE BREAKER" AT THE STRAND

Tensely Dramatic Offering with Wonderful Love Story Today.

"The Breaker," Arthur Stringer's Saturday Evening Post story, is the thrilling picture at the Strand theatre today.

Tensely dramatic, yet softened by a wonderful love story, "The Breaker" is the current delightful offering by Essanay. Replete with unexpected developments, and portrayed by three of the foremost stars of the photoplay world, this supreme feature cannot escape tremendous success.

"The Breaker" is an adaptation from the thrilling detective story penned by Arthur Stringer, master of fiction, which was published in the Saturday Evening Post. In the picturization the author's wonderful plot has been picked up bodily and accentuated by living characters. The perfect fiction has been made to live; also Musty Suffer.

"Mr. Bob" Is Coming.

"Mr. Bob" is a play to be given Friday evening at Chapin Memorial church by seven young people. Price 25c to all. Its so actually funny and human that it's interesting. You must not fail to see it. advt 2t

To Rent—Modern, five room flat, stationary range, hot and cold water, bath and gas. For quick occupancy to desirable party will rent for $11 per month. Rent free until March 1. Inquire George B. Shearer, at Shearer's music store. advt 2t

Give me 24. This is Wellman Have you any more of that bright, clean coal that you sent me last month? Then please fill my bin as it was the most satisfactory we have had in a long time and we want to start the new year right. Advt. tf

To Rent—Living rooms over Finigan grocery, corner Ford and Spruce streets, has piazza and complete bath. Bard, 8 Broad street. advt 3t

For Sale—House and large lot on Spruce street suitable for Normal roomers club. Campbell Bros. Phone 226-J. advt tf

Money to loan on real estate, mortgage security. Inquire at law office of Edson A. Hayward, 19 Elm street. advt tf

FIRMS TO CHANGE LOCATION

Winans Grocery to Displace Casino, Shearer Music Co. to Go to Winans Store and Be Succeeded by Baker's Garment Shop.

Oneonta's first movie theatre, the Casino, after passing through many vicissitudes of late, is to give way to a business place, the Winans Grocery company having leased the store. The owners, Falls & Gardner, have arranged to replace the present front with a new and modern front, to construct a steel ceiling and install an elevator between the basement and the first floor and fit the store completely for use as a grocery. Work is to be commenced at once and the store will be ready for occupancy as soon as possible, although the lease does not render this obligatory until May 1. Should it be completed before that date the firm may move when it is in readiness.

The store now occupied by the Winans firm has been leased to the Shearer Music company and that firm will take possession on or before May 1. This store is much larger than the one now occupied, and will enable the music company to make a larger display of pianos and musical instruments than formerly and it is probable also that another line will be added to the stock carried. The young men of the firm are hustlers and are desirous of a larger and better show room.

The lease of the store now occupied by the music company has been transferred to Baker's Garment shop, which temporarily is housed in the Reynolds block. The new location will afford an excellent opportunity for window display and contains ample floor space for the line carried by this firm. Mr. Baker at one time contemplated removing from the city, but ability to secure this store in a comparatively short time has influenced him to remain and those who know the excellent line he carries are rejoicing that this store here has probably become permanent.

ELOQUENT MASONIC ADDRESS.

Grand Lecturer Gives Timely Talk at Closing Session of District Convention.

The closing session of the Masonic district convention last evening was attended by representatives of fifteen of the nineteen lodges of the district, and the instruction was of much benefit to all. Several grand lodge officers were in attendance during the convention, among them being Charles Smith, past grand master, O. F. Lane, custodian of the work, E. M. Fethers, trustee of the hall and asylum fund. Addresses by these distinguished craftsmen were highly appreciated as was a timely and appropriate address by the grand lecturer, Rev. Horace W. Smith.

Before closing, resolutions of appreciation of the courtesy and successful work accomplished by the district deputy grand master and the grand lecturer were adopted.

The careful and exact instruction of the grand lecturer as well as the exemplification of the life and conduct of an upright and lovable man have only added the brothers of the Eighteenth district to the hosts of craftsmen throughout the state who appreciate the worth of that eminent Mason.

The grand lecturer leaves this morning for Syracuse to join the staff of the grand master in the exercises to be held in connection with the dedication of the new Masonic temple at Syracuse.

Will Keep Taxi Business.

Regardless of the fact that reports have been circulated to the contrary, A. S. Wright will maintain his taxi service in the city, although he has disposed of his repair and garage work to Frank Helmes, and he will endeavor in the future to equal if not better the service to the public that he has rendered in the past. M. Wright will maintain at all times of the day and night first class cars for city and country calls, and as the needs of the city grow he will increase his number of machines to satisfy the demand.

THE MADNESS OF HELEN.

New Vaudeville and Unusual Photodrama at Oneonta Theatre Today.

Something unusual in photodrama is in store for the patrons of the Oneonta theatre today, when the two favorite stars, Ethel Clayton and Carlyle Blackwell, will be seen in their latest masterpiece, "The Madness of Helen," which is one of the most interesting and different stories seen here in a long time. A late Pathe News reel will also be seen. Today Louis Stanton, who leaves the city shortly to accept an engagement with the Billy Allen company, will open a three-day engagement, presenting something new in mystery and magic and never before seen in this city. Admission always 10 cents.

Attention, Maccabees.

All who intend to go to Hartwick for the S. V. M. A. Thursday, February 22, meet at trolley station to take special car at 12:15. Don't buy ticket for special car. Those who go on later car buy ticket one way. advt 1t

Wanted—Any part of one hundred shares of the capital stock of the Wilber National bank of Oneonta, N. Y., at $575.00 per share, which is five points above its book value as per last government report. George I. Wilber, Oneonta, N. Y. Advt. tf

Washington's Birthday dance at Liberty hall this evening. If you like to dance be sure to attend. advt 1t

Wanted—Dining room girl and chambermaid combined at the Wilson house. advt 3t

Wanted—Young ladies for telephone operators. Apply at the central office, Dietz street. advt 4t

Ira S. Sweet, practical horsesetter, at the Windsor, Oneonta, March 1, Eagle, Norwich, March 5. advt. tf

The New Ginghams

And now come the New Spring Ginghams and Cotton Dress Fabrics, dainty harbingers of the season ahead. Just a glimpse of these new weaves with their diversity of coloring will enthuse you to commence on the Spring and warm weather wardrobe while the days of Winter are yet with us.

We cannot recall a season when such dainty designs and colorings were to be secured in a Cotton fabric. Heretofore such dyes were procurable only in the silk and woolen weaves. There are Stripes, there are Plaids and there are Plain Colors. Apple Blossom Pink, Egg Blue, Tan, Dark Leaf Green, Lavender, a range of colors to suit the most exacting and withal these Ginghams are practical---just the thing for any occasion, all manner of work. Colors will not fade nor run when wash day comes around.

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We are pleased to again make mention of the Toile DuNord Fabrics. We venture to suggest you purchase a length or two of these popular materials while the line is fresh and complete. Price 14 and 15 cents a yard

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The Ring Shop

Some jewelers carry rings merely because they are jewelry. We carry them in rich profusion because they are beautiful and a true adornment.

This store is known to many as the ring shop, because those who are especially interested in this form of jewelry have found here not only exceptional offerings in rings, but an intelligent interest to match theirs.

If you love rings, come and see ours. If you don't, come and see them and you will love them

In our search for rings which we considered a true expression of this form of the jewelers' art, and which, at the same time, could be sold at prices to fit any purse, we hit upon the W-W-W rings, and ceased our search, satisfied that nothing better could be found. They are splendidly designed—gem-set, all of them—and the settings are guaranteed. If one is lost or cracked, it will be replaced. They may be had for $3, $4, $5, $7—or more, if you prefer.

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Long Skirts at 79c, $1.00, $1.25, $1.50, $2.00, $2.25, $2.50 and $3.00.
Corset Covers at 29c, 50c and 75c.
Gowns at 59c, 75c, 89c, $1.00, $1.50 and $2.25.
Drawers at 25c, 29c, 33c, 50c, 75c and $1.00.
Combinations at $1.00, $1.50, $2.00 and $2.25.

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Sweet Clover Tea fannings lb.	20c
Special Blend 30c Coffee, lb.	25c
Choice Green Tea, half lb.	20c
Oldfort Coffee, pound	20c
Pop Corn, shelled, 3 lbs	25c
Queen Quality Rice, 3 lb pkg	25c
Extra Large Jar plain Olives	25c
Pint Jar Stuffed Olives	25c
Pickles, Sweet or Sour, doz	12c
Sailor Brand Garfish, 3 cans	25c
Deviled Tuna Fsh, can	10c
Pitted Prunes, 15 oz pkg	15c
Evaporated Peaches, 3 lbs.	25c
Otsego Baking Powder, lb	15c
White Puff Baking Soda, lb	5c
Toilet Soap, formerly 25c box	18c
Money's Worth Pork and Beans a can	15c
Good Baking Molasses, can	12c

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Did you ever stop to ask yourself the reason? Some will say small wages, others high prices and a thousand other excuses, but the most common one is careless spending—buying cheap things because the price is low and not getting your money's worth. Every dollar will buy 100 cents worth of satisfaction at

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ONEONTA, N. Y.

PERSONALS.

Hon. O. P. Lane of Schoharie was a business visitor in the city yesterday.

Hon. George H. Palmer of Cooperskill transacted business in Oneonta yesterday.

Miss Eva Munson [illegible] week in New York [illegible] buying new spring [illegible]

A. L. O'Connor of Hobart was a guest at the Oneonta [illegible] in the city on Tuesday.

Mrs. Sarah H. [illegible] of Mr. A. C. [illegible] in New York [illegible]

Hon. O. P. [illegible] of Edmeston was in the city [illegible] matters of [illegible]

Fred Arthur [illegible] called on [illegible] of the Herald [illegible] Ann.

Mrs. A. T. Lockhart [illegible] home from a visit with her parents [illegible]

Miss Agnes Decker returned home last evening from [illegible] where she has been spending a few days with her parents.

Rev. L. A. Vail returned yesterday to his home in Milton after a visit with his daughter, Mrs. D. M. Hallock of Franklin street.

Dr. and Mrs. G. E. Shoemaker of Cobleskill have been in this city for the past two days preparatory to moving here about April 1.

Ralph Carrington, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Carrington of Walnut avenue, is confined to his home by sickness. Dr. Brinckman is attending him.

Charley Coy of Edmeston is spending a few days with friends in the city and incidentally attending the Masonic gathering with Oneonta lodge.

Mr. and Mrs. Lo[illegible] and Wayne of Burlington Flats arrived in the city yesterday afternoon for a visit with their daughter, Mrs. L. S. Lewis, Ford avenue.

G. W. Ludlow of the Porter company, who had been spending some time in western New York, was in Oneonta yesterday morning on his way to his home in New York.

R. J. Wilber of 65 Church street, this city, who met with a serious accident in the loss of a thumb at the D. & H. shops while operating a machine, is now under the care of Dr. Cutler.

Miss Edith Putts of 6 Lawton avenue left yesterday on a visit at the home of Philip Mooney in Worcester and with her grandfather, Peter Faris, at Schoharie Junction. She will be absent about two weeks.

Hon. Frances M. Hugo, who on Tuesday evening delivered an excellent address at the banquet of the Merchants' association, left Oneonta yesterday morning for Syracuse, where last evening he delivered an address before the automobile show.

Amos B. Odell departed yesterday afternoon for Rochester, where he was called by tidings of the illness of his son, Charles Odell, at his rooms in the Y. M. C. A. building in that city. If conditions permit Mr. Odell will bring his son home with him for rest and recuperation.

A. J. Brokhout and F. M. Decker departed yesterday for Rockland, having received intelligence of the death of an uncle, A. L. Lindsey. This is the second time Mr. Decker has been summoned to that locality in a week, he having recently returned from attending the funeral of his mother.

Acting Mayor and Mrs. A. L. Cooper left yesterday for New York city, where for a few days they will be guests at the Waldorf-Astoria of his uncle, H. P. Cooper, of Worcester, and wife, who after an extended stay at Poland Springs, Maine, are spending a couple of weeks in New York before departing for Los Angeles, where they will sojourn for the remainder of the winter.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur [illegible] of Oneonta [illegible] New York [illegible] where they have [illegible] the coast of Florida. While [illegible] route they will [illegible] Cuba, which [illegible] other conditions they may not [illegible] If conditions [illegible] arrive [illegible] continue to Havana, which they [illegible] reach about the [illegible] Panama party from the Canal Zone would arrive there. Mr. and Mrs. Lord will be absent five weeks [illegible] ing home about April 1.

Normal Professors in Kingston

Dr. Charles A. S[illegible] the faculty of the [illegible] Normal school, [illegible] to-day where [illegible] address [illegible] Normal [illegible]

Give Florence Scott a Surprise

Last evening [illegible] of Miss [illegible] Scott [illegible]

Auto Club Annual Meeting

[illegible] H. W. Lee [illegible]

For Sale

Two model [illegible] overhauled and [illegible] Oneonta company [illegible]

We want potatoes [illegible] before you sell come [illegible] lish & Bowman [illegible] onta. adv tf

MARRIAGES.

Stilwell-Mills.

Miss Grace T. Mills, the efficient and courteous deputy county clerk, and Frank Stilwell, formerly of Cooperskill, now of Oneonta, were united in marriage last evening at 8 o'clock, at the home of the bride's mother, Mrs. Annie T. Mills, at 7 Maple street, by Rev. Dr. J. L. Hall, pastor of the Methodist Episcopal church, in the presence of relatives and friends. They were attended by Mr. and Mrs. Fred Mulford of the city, the guests present being Mrs. Lyon of Albany, mother of the groom, Mrs. John J. Crotty and Mrs. Frank Lokin of this city. The rooms were prettily decorated with chrysanthemums, blue taffeta and asparagus and a bouquet of carnations. A wedding dinner followed the nuptials.

The groom is now employed at the D. & H. shops at Oneonta and numerous friends join in extending the best wishes for happy married lives. Mr. and Mrs. Stilwell will reside for the present at 7 Maple street.

Swartfiguer-Salisbury

[illegible] at 7 o'clock, at the home of the groom's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Francis S. Swartfiguer, at 13 Monroe street, Rev. Dr. W. B. Smiley officiating, Miss Neille A. Salisbury, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Francis Salisbury of Cardiff, became the bride of William E. Swartfiguer, a valued employe of the clerical force of the D. & H. freight offices in this city. The ceremony was witnessed by the immediate family of the groom and the couple were attended by Clyde Farrington and Miss Grace Green. Mr. and Mrs. Swartfiguer, who will have the best wishes of their many friends, will reside for the present at least at 13 Monroe avenue.

TILYOU PLEADS GUILTY

South Hartwick Postmaster Restores Funds and Pays Fine of $200.

C. W. Tilyou, postmaster at South Hartwick, who was arrested some weeks ago by an inspector of the post office department, who found, it is alleged, that Tilyou had issued some $1,16.06 worth of money orders, many of which were for the payment of individual debts and which he had neglected to deposit the cash to make good, pleaded guilty before Federal Judge Ray at Albany on Tuesday to the charge of embezzlement. Mr. Tilyou was indicted by the grand jury and after the indictment he made good the deficit, his father and mother-in-law coming to his rescue. When he pleaded guilty he was fined $200, which was paid and he was released.

Tilyou has been serving as postmaster for [illegible] since his arrest and, we move, it is understood, has been made either by the government or his friends men from the office. It has frequently been stated that he made flight of the shortage when approached by the inspector and that his arrest followed.

Mrs. VanZandt's Brother Dead

Cobleskill, Feb. 21.—Luther Shank, 48, died yesterday at the home of former Supervisor David C. Lawyer at Mineral Springs. He had been in ill health for some time and suffered an apoplectic stroke on Sunday. He is survived by one son, Clarence Shank of Schenectady, one brother, Willis Shank, Fort Edward, four sisters, Mrs. Charles Decker, Carlisle, Mrs. Chester Gutman, Carlisle, Mrs. Clinton Decker, Johnson City, and Mrs. William VanZandt, Oneonta. His funeral services will take place tomorrow at the Lawyer home at 2 p. m. Rev. William H. Marshall will officiate. Burial will be at Gloversville.

Washington's Birthday Social

One of the most pleasant of the Washington's birthday functions held in Oneonta last night was the social given by the Baptist church under the auspices of the Young People's society of Christian Endeavor, at which there were special decorations of flags and bunting, appropriate to the occasion, and the well-selected program and series of games served to whet with a view to commemorating the birth of our first president. There was a goodly delegation from the Young People's society of the United Presbyterian church.

To Give Complimentary Dinner

On Saturday evening, March 3, the members of the Kaiser S. P. [illegible] will give a complimentary dinner at the Oneonta this city to Miss Ka[illegible] that company. The [illegible] will be served and the [illegible] are to arrive on the S. [illegible] Delaware & Hudson [illegible] expected. The special cars will be [illegible] for them. An [illegible] is planned for the evening.

Entertains Embroidery Club

[illegible] Ten Embroidery Club [illegible] with Mrs. Y. [illegible] Chestnut avenue yesterday afternoon. After a few social hours a delicious lunch was served by Mrs. Young. All reported voting Mrs. Young a charming entertainer. The next meeting will be held with Mrs. Morey [illegible]

Card of Thanks

[illegible] for their kindness during the sickness and death of our beloved father, Mr. Ira Wilcox. We also thank the Rev. Mr. Marshall for his kind words. Mrs. M. A. Wilcox, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wilcox, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Wilcox.

A gentleman from Long Island was in Oneonta last week and purchased a coffee of Mr. [illegible] Santa Cruz for 17 cents per pound. That kind of coffee means [illegible] Why not try it out. adv tf

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

Pursuant to an order of Frank M. [illegible] surrogate of the county of Otsego, notice is hereby given according to law to all persons having claims against the estate of Frances A. [illegible] late of the town of Laurens in said county, that they are required to exhibit the same, with vouchers thereof, to the subscriber, executor of the estate of the said deceased, at the law office of Owen A. Lockwood, Main and Dietz blocks, in the city of Oneonta in said county, on or before the seventeenth day of June next.

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Ladies' Cotton Hose at 10c and 15c a pair.
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TO RENT—Flat, 11 Pearl street. Inquire on premises or phone 970-W.

TO RENT—To small family. Lower flat, 357 Main street. Inquire at side door, upstairs.

FLATS TO RENT—14 Valleyview, $10.00 up, $12.00 down. Phone 226-J.

TO RENT—March 1, upper flat, 311 Chestnut street; stationary range and bath. Inquire S. G. Camp, 19 Grand street.

TO RENT—41 Fairview street, lower flat, all improvements, hot water heat. Inquire at 41 Fairview street.

TO RENT—Eight room house, Harmon avenue. Inquire 3 Harmon.

TO RENT—Upper flat, 3 Valleyview. Inquire on premises. Miss Gibson.

FOR RENT—Half of double house at 352 Main street. Range, bath and electric lights. Inquire 354 Main street.

TO RENT—One half of double house, six nice rooms at 35 Otsego street, rent reasonable. Inquire of John Parish, 165 Chestnut street or phone 591-W2.

HOUSE TO RENT—No. 4 Lawn avenue. Phone 391-J.

TO RENT—One seven room flat, vapor heated, all modern improvements. Phone 675-R.

TO RENT—Half a double house, $10. Phone 1018 J, or call Columbia street store.

HOUSE TO LET—With all improvements, suitable for Normal boarders or one or two families. Inquire 75 Maple street. Phone 632-J.

TO RENT—House at 10 Eighth street. Inquire at 43 Hudson street.

FOR RENT—Half of double house at 3 Franklin street. Inquire 1 Franklin street.

FOR RENT—37 Grand street, desirable five room flat, all new improvements, rent reasonable. Inquire Boston store, 144 Main street.

TO RENT—Lower flat, 46 Miller street, all improvements. Inquire George I. Winans, 215 Main street.

TO RENT—House at 22 Otsego street. Phone 339-J or call at 83 Center street.

TO RENT—House at 26 Cherry street, upper and lower flat. All new paint and paper. Inquire 47 Ford avenue.

TO RENT—House 21 Forest avenue. Inquire S. H. Close, Municipal building. Phone 27-W.

TO RENT—Flat at 25 Division street. Phone 373-J.

TO RENT—A new seven room bungalow, all improvements, handy for railroad or shopmen. Inquire Bargain Clothing store, 20 Broad street.

TO RENT—Ten room house, 7 Spring street, January 1. Modern improvements. Alda Wentworth. Phone 158-W2.

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—Bay mare, weight 950 pounds, top buckboard, wagon, cutter and harness. V. E. Smith, South Side.

FOR SALE—My farm of 50 acres, located on road between West Oneonta and Laurens, or will exchange for house and lot in West Oneonta. George Keitz, Oneonta.

FOR SALE—I offer for sale my entire harness business, including stock and building, or building alone, known as the Herrick block, corner of Main and River streets, Stamford. Rooms for four families and two harness rooms, now fully occupied. Good business and a good location. Have been in business here for over forty years and have made good and now want to get out. B. F. Herrick, harness maker, Stamford, N. Y.

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FOR SALE—About 40 tons of hay, at the barn on east side of upper reservoir, Oneonta. R. D. L. Call or address Edwin Brightman, Laurens, N. Y.

FOR SALE—One fresh cow, six years old. Inquire 395 Main street.

FOR SALE—House and large lot, $1,500. Apply law offices W. L. Hilzinger, 198 Main street, Oneonta, N. Y.

FOR SALE—At a bargain, burglar proof safe with combination chest, good as new. J. S. Taylor, 14 Myrtle avenue. Phone 187-M.

FOR SALE—New upright piano, mahogany case, fine tone, easy action. Bargain to quick cash buyer. Call at 19 High street, or write C. H. Dorr, Oneonta.

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FOR SALE—One open delivery wagon, one top, panelled delivery wagon, built to order. Excellent condition. Bargain to quick buyer for cash. Address, P. O. Box No. 751, Stamford, N. Y.

ON ACCOUNT of failing health I will sell my harness and farm implements business, which is the best stand in Otsego county. Stock reduced so it will not be burdensome for the buyer with moderate means to consider. Or will exchange for house and lot in Oneonta. Write W. C. Parr, Hartwick, N. Y., or call 21-J Bell phone.

FOUR FARMS FOR SALE—On easy terms; one farm to rent. Inquire of Franklin C. Keyes, Laurens, N. Y.

FOR SALE—The finest camp house on Goodyear lake. B. E. Swart, Windsor hotel.

FOR SALE—Five acre farm at 195 River street. Splendid house, barn and henhouse, all improvements, lots of fruit and berries of all kinds. J. S. Smith, 44 Elm street.

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A REAL BARGAIN—Owing to removal from town, must sell new 7-room house and bath. Hardwood finish, all improvements. Garage and garden. Call forenoons at 62 East street. O. A. Maynard.

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FOR SALE OR RENT—House at 23 Grand street. J. A. Dewar.

FOR SALE—Two family house, Valley View street, $1,500. Two family house Main street, $1,100. Two family house High street, $1,600. Seven room house with all modern improvements Tilton avenue $3,500. Seven room house with all modern improvements Ford avenue, $3,000. Nearly new eight room house with extra lot near Normal school, $1,700. House with good barn, extra lot, Center street, $1,700. Extra large nice house on Maple street. Charles N. Murdock, 7 Ford avenue, Oneonta, N. Y. Phone 7-R.

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WANTED—Reliable woman for general housework. Good wages paid. Reference required. Inquire, Bell Clothing company.

WANTED—Man by the month, must be good with horses and a good milker. W. M. Brownell, East Meredith.

WANTED—Man to work on farm. Must be good with team and stock. George Ellis, West street.

WANTED—By March 1, girl to wait on table and wash silver and glass. M. E. Arbuckle, proprietor Edgerton house, Delhi.

WISH TO ENGAGE a competent automobile mechanic for work in our garage. Apply with references and particulars, Russell Archibald Co., Delhi, N. Y.

SALESLADY WANTED—Must be experienced in selling general dry goods. Liberal salary if competent. Inquire H. W. Hyland, Boston store, 144 Main street, Oneonta, N. Y.

WANTED—Reliable man and wife to manage large dairy and hop farm, also man to work by Month. E. H. Rider, Milford, N. Y.

WANTED—Competent girl for general housework, good wages. Address box 75, care Star.

WANTED TO HIRE—Good, reliable, experienced man to work on farm by month or year. E. L. Hall, South Side.

WANTED—Competent girl for general housework. No washing. Phone 375-W.

WANTED—Machine operators. Light, clean work, good pay while learning. Buckley Bros. Co.

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WIDOW—Middle aged, educated and refined, would like position as companion or nurse to invalid. Address M. H., care Star.

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LOST—Gold watch and fob with initials J. J. L. on watch case. Finder please return to Oneonta hotel.

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WANTED—Roomers. Inquire at 46 Dietz street.

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friends were present. The rooms were prettily decorated with pink and white carnations and this color scheme was carried out in the table decorations, where a sumptuous wedding dinner was served by Mrs. Albrecht. The bride was attired in a gown of georgette crepe and chiffon and her traveling dress was of brown velour. The bridal party left on the 3:30 train on the D. & H. on a wedding journey that will include Albany, New York and points in New Jersey. They will be gone about one week and will be at home to their friends in the Carr & Hare block on Main street after March 1. Mr. and Mrs. Dickinson are among the most popular young people of Sidney and on returning will receive the congratulations of a host of friends, to whom this event brings the greatest pleasure.

Body Arrives for Interment.

The remains of Mrs. Mary A. Skinner, a former resident of Sidney, arrived in Sidney today from Utica for interment in Prospect Hill cemetery. Her death occurred Friday at a hospital in that city and her funeral was held Monday from the home of her son, A. D. Skinner, in Utica. Her husband, Charles Skinner, died about seven years ago. When the family were residents of Sidney, about 14 years ago, Mr. Skinner was employed at the carriage works. She is survived by three sons, Willis and A. D. Skinner of Utica, and H. D. Skinner of Cortland, and two sisters, Mrs. Chauncey Christman of Downsville, and Mrs. Myron Robbins of McLean; also two brothers, Fred and Edward Chubb, of Cortland.

Arrested Charged with Bastardy.

George Cuyle, a former well known character of this village and who has had numerous dealings with police courts, was arrested today by Officers John Seaman at Trout Creek on a warrant charging bastardy, the charges being preferred by Overseer of the Poor F. D. Wilbur and Officer Phelps of the Humane society. He was brought to Sidney and placed in the lockup and this evening was taken to Delhi to be arraigned before Justice Shaw. The woman in the case is Mrs. Mabel Lanfair, an inmate of the county house, and who about a year ago eloped with Cuyle, leaving several small children, Cuyle also leaving a wife and children. They were sought for at the time, but could not be found.

Meeting Sidney Alumni Association.

A meeting of the Sidney Alumni association was held last evening at the High school building for the purpose of working on plans to get the married names and addresses of alumni of the Sidney school. This association was organized last June and the meeting also had to do with perfecting the work of organization and for other business. The officers of the association are M. J. Kipp, president, and Miss Adelia Root, secretary.

Booming the Sunday School.

February has been Sunday school month at the Sidney Methodist church and the result of the special effort to gain attendance was shown last Sunday when the number present was 304, which is a record breaker in the history of the church, the largest previous attendance being 255. The average attendance last year was 187. Next Sunday the Sunday school will observe cradle roll promotions to the beginners' department, and instructive and interesting exercises will take place in the main church. The Brotherhood class is also showing the result of its campaign for members and last Sunday there were 42 present, which is also a record breaker for this class.

D. A. R. Chapter to Organize.

Mrs. Benjamin Spraker of Palatine Bridge, state regent of the Daughters of the American Revolution, will be in Sidney Saturday to organize a chapter of the society here. There are over 30 eligible names at present for charter members and several more whose papers will be passed in time to soon enter. The meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. F. H. McKinnon, who is organizing regent for Sidney and who has been very active in the preparatory work.

Mr. Wheeler Returns to Sidney.

P. O. Wheeler, a former member of the Cortland Cart & Carriage company, but who about one year ago sold out his interest and became a member of the firm of VanCott and Wheeler, hardware dealers, at Bainbridge, has sold his interest in that firm and on Saturday purchased the insurance business so long conducted by Ernest Sprague in this village. He has already taken possession of the business. Mr. Sprague yesterday sold his home on Pleasant street to James Morgan and in the near future will move to Endicott, where he expects to go into business.

Settles with Delaware and Hudson.

Through Attorney C. C. Flaesch of Unadilla the D. & H. company has settled with F. D. Reed & Son, milk dealers of this village, for damages, and with David Reed for personal injuries, sustained when the delivery wagon he was driving was struck by a freight train on the D. & H. on the Main street crossing of the company in this village early on the morning of October 28 last. One of the team of mules was killed outright, the wagon smashed and Mr. Reed thrown out, receiving injuries which confined him to his home for some time and from which he has not yet fully recovered. The amount paid has not been stated.

The Dairymen's League.

The farmers of this vicinity are preparing for a big day in Sidney on Friday of this week, when the Dairymen's league and the Delaware County Farm bureau will hold an all-day joint session and basket luncheon. Men prominent in the affairs of these two organizations so closely allied will be present and address the meetings, which in the afternoon and evening will be held in Municipal hall. A good orchestra will be in attendance. The ladies are not going to be forgotten and are especially invited to attend. Miss Harriett May Mills of Syracuse, former president of the State Suffrage league, will be present and deliver an address. Other speakers will be Edward R. Eastman, county agricultural agent; J. J. Thomas, director of the Dairymen's league, and I. F. Hale of the State School of Agriculture. Hot coffee will be served free. All are invited.

Fifty Ladies at Luncheon.

Mrs. L. L. Sawdey, Mrs. J. F. Elliott, Mrs. H. Loomis and Mrs. C. G. Bassett entertained over 50 of their lady friends at luncheon and auction yesterday afternoon. The luncheon was served at the Hotel DeCumber at 2 o'clock and was rather an elaborate affair. The dining room and tables were prettily decorated for the occasion, American flags being used in profusion. Following the luncheon the party went to the home of Mrs. Elliott, where auction was enjoyed the balance of the afternoon. The prize winners were Mrs. McDermott and Mrs. Neidlinger, first and second on honors, and Mrs. Richmond and Miss Kirby, of Bainbridge, first and second on points. There were also four low prizes given.

M. E. Choir Goes to Bainbridge.

The Methodist choir of this village will go to Bainbridge Friday evening to give a concert during the ceremonies attendant upon the rededication of the church in that village. They will be assisted by L. A. Meeker, Miss Todd, Elihu Clark and Miss Fanny Doty as accompanist. Bishop Berry and other prominent church men will be present at the ceremonies. The Bainbridge Methodists have completed a large addition to their church.

Miss Sprague Is Leader.

Miss Sprague will be leader at the meeting of the recently organized industrial branch of the Sidney school on Saturday afternoon at the High school at 2:30 o'clock, instead of 2 o'clock, as heretofore. This class, under the auspices of the University club, is growing rapidly and is evidently filling a long felt want in the school. New scholars now entering the class do so with the understanding that they cannot enter the contest under way, as the time cannot be given to rehearse the work already taught.

Dollar Day a Winner.

The second annual Dollar day of the Sidney merchants was a big success. All day long the stores were filled with shoppers, who took advantage of general high prices to secure some or the really genuine bargains offered by the Sidney stores on this occasion. The purchases were not all confined to bargain goods, however, and the merchants sold large qquantities of merchandise at usual prices, which shows that as a business stimulant at a time when trade is usual slow, Dollar day is a winner.

HOBART HAPPENINGS.

Basketball Game Arouses Much Interest Among the Fans.

Hobart, Feb. 21. — Saturday evening of this week, Feb. 24, is the day and 8:15 o'clock is the hour set for what will probably be the most talked about and hardest fought game of basketball played this year on the Hobart floor. The game, as mentioned before in these columns, is to be between the Hobart Regulars, who were not defeated on the home floor last year, and the New Hobart five, who have not been defeated on the home floor this year. The line-up will be as follows:

Hobart Regulars	New Hobart Five
Left Forward	
Harry Close	Ralph Stevens
Right Forward	
Frank Drake	James Cowan
Center	
Hector Cowan	Wm. Colman
Left Guard	
Fred Foote	Stoddard Stevens
Right Guard	
George Clark	John Cowan
Substitutes	
Eddie Arnold	James Stevenson
Benj. Finnigan..	

Referee—Fred E. Weeks.

Excitement is running high in regard to which team will win. The Regulars have the advantage of weight and the New Five of practice. Judging from the way the fans talk every seat will be taken an hour before the game is called. You will be sorry if you do not attend.

Hobart Boys at the Front.

We are always glad to hear of the success of Hobart boys after leaving town, whether at school or in business and social life of the places where they locate. We note from the Albany and Troy daily papers the following items relating to two of our Hobart boys. From the Albany paper we clip the following:

Freshmen and Juniors Clash.

The members of the freshman and junior classes of the Albany Law school had a lively time last night previous to the annual banquet of the former class at Keeler's hotel. The upper classmen captured the freshmen's toastmaster, Donald H. Grant. They led him off to the school and held him for several hours. When the freshmen learned what had happened they were immediately moved to action. They hired a fleet of taxicabs and went to the school. In the meantime, however, their toastmaster was released. This did not quell their fighting spirit and they engaged their opponents on State street. For a few minutes a lively time was had.

Daniel H. Prior, judge of the city court, addressed the freshmen at the banquet. Other speakers were members of the class.

The Troy Sunday Budget contains a good likeness of Malcolm K. Grant of the firm of Wagar & Grant of Troy

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5,000,000 Corns Lifted Right Off!

Try 2 Drops of Magic "Gets-It."

There's a wonderful difference between getting rid of a corn now and the way they used to try to get rid of it only four or five years ago. "Gets-It" has revolutionized corn history. It's the only corn remedy

"See? Just 2 Drops of 'Gets-It.' Now Tomorrow I'll Just Peel That Corn Right Off—and It's Gone!"

today that acts on the new principle, not only of shriveling up the corn, but of loosening the corn off—so loose that you can lift it right off with your fingers. Put 2 drops of "Gets-It" on that corn or callus tonight. That's all. The corn is doomed sure as sunrise. No pain, or trouble, or soreness. You do away once and for all with toe-bundling bandages, toe-eating salves and irresponsible what-nots. Try it—get surprised and lose a corn.

"Gets-It" is sold everywhere, 25c a bottle, or sent on receipt of price by E. Lawrence & Co., Chicago, Ill.

Sold in Oneonta and recommended as the world's best corn remedy by E. E. Snitchard, Dickson Bros., H. B. Gildersleeve.

MR. CARPENTER:—

DOES YOUR KIT OF TOOLS NEED A NEW HATCHET, SAW OR BRACE AND BITS? IF SO, COME TO "US" AND BUY THE TOOLS YOU NEED. THEN YOU WILL HAVE "A-1" TOOLS.

WE HAVE THE "EDGE" ON THE TOOL BUSINESS IN THIS TOWN BECAUSE WE CARRY BRANDS OF TOOLS YOU CANNOT BUY ANYWHERE ELSE—AND THEY COST NO MORE THAN INFERIOR KINDS.

OUR TOOLS ARE BEST; THEY STAND THE TEST.

BAKER BROTHERS

HARDWARE :: PLUMBING :: HEATING

Dry, Hoarse or Painful Coughs Quickly Ended

Home-Made Remedy that Saves You $2—Does the Work Thoroughly.

The prompt and positive action of this simple, inexpensive home-made remedy in quickly healing the inflamed or swollen membranes of the throat, chest or bronchial tubes and breaking up tight coughs, has caused it to be used in more homes than any other cough remedy. Under its healing, soothing influence, chest soreness goes, phlegm loosens, breathing becomes easier, tickling in throat stops and you get a good night's restful sleep. The usual throat and chest colds are conquered by it in 24 hours or less. Nothing better for bronchitis, hoarseness, croup, whooping cough, bronchial asthma or winter coughs.

To make this splendid cough syrup, pour 2½ ounces of Pinex (50 cents worth), into a pint bottle and fill the bottle with plain granulated sugar syrup and shake thoroughly. You then have a full pint—a family supply—of a much better cough syrup than you could buy ready-made for $2.50. Keeps perfectly and children love its pleasant taste.

Pinex is a special and highly concentrated compound of genuine Norway pine extract, combined with guaiacol and is known the world over for its promptness, ease and certainty in overcoming stubborn coughs and chest colds.

To avoid disappointment ask your druggist for "2½ ounces of Pinex" with full directions, and don't accept anything else. Guaranteed to give absolute satisfaction or money promptly refunded. The Pinex Co., Ft. Wayne, Ind.

GIRLS IN SCHOOL OR AT BUSINESS

who are delicately constituted, who have thin blood or pale cheeks, will find in

SCOTT'S EMULSION

a true tonic and a rich food to overcome tiredness, nourish their nerves and feed their blood. Start with SCOTT'S to-day—and say "NO" to substitutes.

Scott & Bowne, Bloomfield, N. J. 16-29

Delaware & Hudson R. R.

"The D&H"

TIME TABLE

Commencing Sunday, Sept. 24, 1916.

Trains will arrive and leave Oneonta as follows

NORTH BOUND.

	Arrive	Depart
303 Morning Express ..	6:13 a m	6:20 a m
305 Saratoga Express ..	9:40 a m	9:45 a m
307 Boston Express	11:50 a m	11:55 a m
309 Bost Express	4:10 p m	4:15 p m
311 "Flyer"	8:55 p m	8:55 p m
313 Sunday only	11:40 a m	11:50 a m

SOUTH BOUND.

	Arrive	Depart
300 Binghamton Local		8:20 a m
302 Local Passenger ...	10:35 a m	10:40 a m
304 Chicago Express ...	12:40 p m	12:45 p m
308 Oneonta Local	6:45 p m	7:00 p m
308 Chicago Express ..	6:50 p m	6:55 p m
312 Sleeper	2:30 a m	2:35 a m
314 Sunday only	11:10 a m	11:15 a m
316 Sunday only	7:00 p m	7:05 p m

Trains 314, 313, 314, 316 run Sundays.

Trains leave Oneonta for Cooperstown and intermediate points at 7:10 a m., 10:25 a. m. and 4:20 p. m. and 6:30 p. m. on week days. Sunday at 11:55 a. m., and 7:10 p. m. Returning arrive at Oneonta at 9:55 a. m. and at 12 m., 4:30 and 6:40 p. m. Sundays at 11:05 a. m. and 6:40 p. m.

Southern New York Railway

Schedule effective September 3.

Trains will leave Oneonta for Herkimer and intermediate points at 8:05, 10:15 12:15, 2:15, *4:15 and 6:15 p. m. for Hartwick at 7:15 and 9:15 p. m.

Arriving at Hartwick one hour later, at Cooperstown one hour thirty minutes later, at Richfield Springs two hours later and Herkimer three hours later.

Trains will arrive at Oneonta as follows: 6:50, 7:47, 9:47, *10:57 and 11:47 a. m., 1:47, 3:47, 5:47, 6:47 and 8:51 p. m.

City Service.

Leave East End (week days) at 6:30, 7:15, 7:45 and every thirty minutes.

Leave Junction (week days) at 6:40, 7:25, 7:55 and every thirty minutes thereafter.

Leave the D. & H. for Normal (week days) at 7:05, 7:35, 8:05 and every thirty minutes.

Leave Normal for D. & H. (week days) at 6:35, 7:19, 8:19, 8:49 and every thirty minutes.

Sundays.

First car leaves Normal at 8:19 a. m., last car at 9:19 p. m.

First car leaves East End at 7:45 a. m., last car at 10:45 p. m.

First car leaves Junction at 7:55 a. m.

Last car leaves West Oneonta for Broad street at 10:50 p. m.

Last car leaves West Oneonta for East End at 10:20 p. m.

*Denotes daily except Sunday.

J. W. NUGENT, G. P. A.

ULSTER & DELAWARE RR

TIME TABLE OF
IN EFFECT SEPTEMBER 10, 1916.

Trains are due to leave this city as follows:

*7:20 a. m., *1:15, *3:42 p. m.

Trains are due to arrive as follows:

**11:20, *11:55 a. m., 6:45 p. m.

* Daily except Sunday. s Sunday only.

THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK, By the Grace of God Free and Independent.

To Emma Ten Eyck and Edward Ten Eyck, severally residing at Syracuse, N. Y.; Hattie Owen and Augusta Owen, severally residing at Newark, N. J.; Burton Ten Eyck, George Lane Ten Eyck and Edna Moore, severally residing at San Francisco, Cal.; Lizzie Hoband, Maryland, N. Y.; Clara Ten Eyck, George H. Ten Eyck and Seth Ten Eyck, severally residing at Davenport, N. Y.; William Ten Eyck, Fabius, N. Y.; Mary Crawford, New York city, N. Y.; Emma Hoke, Utica, Ohio, and Joe Allen, Montpelier, Ohio.

Upon the petition of Sarah T. Sherman of the city of Oneonta, N. Y., proponent, you are hereby cited to show cause before the Surrogate's court of Otsego county at the law offices of S. L. Huntington, in the city of Oneonta, in said county, on the twenty-ninth day of March, 1917, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, why a decree should not be granted admitting to probate a certain instrument in writing as the Last Will and Testament of Herman T. Doolett, late of the city of Oneonta, said county, deceased, as a valid will of real and personal property; also to show cause why letters testamentary should not issue thereon.

In testimony whereof, we have caused the seal of our said surrogate's court to be hereunto affixed.

Witness, Shirley L. Huntington, surrogate of the county of Otsego, at the surrogate's office in Cooperstown, N. Y., this sixteenth day of February, 1917.

[L.S.] ABIGAIL M. CLINTON, Clerk of the surrogate's court.

Gibbs, Holmes, Waterman & Holmes, Attorney for Petitioner.
Office and P. O. address, Oneonta, N. Y.

S. D. GRIFFITH
6 Academy St. Next to Armory
Certified Undertaker
Having located in your city, I am prepared to do Undertaking and Embalming.
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Real Estate Bargains

A very desirable village property consisting of a splendid house, barn, chicken house and two acres of land, good water, plenty of fruit, two minutes walk to stores, churches and railroad station, a dandy home, price $2,000

Normal rooming and boarding house, best location on East street, large lot, a money maker, will pay for itself, price $3,700

Seventy-acre farm, just off corporation of large village, new house, good basement barn 60x30, about eight acres woodland, balance pasture and meadow, good productive land, 10 minutes to creamery on state road, finest location, $1,500 cash, price..$3,800

A very desirable property on Spruce, corner lot, large enough for extra building lot, house has all improvements, hot water heat, price $3,000

Ninety-seven acre valley farm, 1 1-2 miles from large town, good house, and barns, running water, level land, a corking good farm, price including farm tools, team of horses, fodder, etc, easy terms..$4,000

Dandy building lot on Chestnut street near center of city, superb location, price $800

Nearly new house on Ford avenue, all improvements, finest location, price $3,600

Small farm, five acres land, splendid house and barn, all improvements, electric lights, house finished in oak, city water, fine location, beautiful home, price $3,800

Fifty-three acre farm, 1 1-2 miles from village, railroad station and stores, one mile off main road, fair buildings, 10 acres timber, a dandy chicken and dairy farm, cash payment $350, price $900

One hundred acre valley farm, all bottom land, black loam soil, good buildings, one-half mile from creamery, railroad station and store, price including stock and fodder $8,000

Campbell Brothers, Phone 226-J 9 Elm Street

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IT may be that you can afford to turn your back on this Shoe Sale, but we doubt it.

Never have we offered such bargains in good footwear, and especially never have we offered them in the face of a rising market. Have you been in?

Men's Work Shoes, $3.00 values, $1.95.

Men's Dress Shoes, $6.00 values, $3.95.

Boys' Shoes, tan and black, worth $3.00, $1.95.

Boys' Rubbers, 39c, 49c to 85c.

Men's Rubbers, 85c, 89c to $1.50.

Rout Em Out Sale

Hurd Boot Shop

FLOYD E TAYLOR

160 MAIN STREET

Why Dress In the Cold?

A Small Gas Heater will make the room comfortable in a few minutes. We have them in sizes for your bedroom or bathroom at a very low cost. You will be delighted with the heat.

Shall we install yours today?

Our Representative Will Call!

ONEONTA LIGHT AND POWER COMPANY

New Office, 172 Main Street, Oneonta, N. Y.

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and extracts from remarks made by him at the Chamber of Commerce luncheon Friday. Mr. Grant is one of the captains appointed by the Troy Chamber of Commerce to boost the idea of a "Greater Troy."

Former Hobart Girl Weds.

Word has just reached here of the marriage on Dec. 17 last at Los Cruces, New Mexico, of Elsa Mayham and Samuel Vaughn of Phoenix, Ariz. Mrs. Vaughn will be remembered here by many friends. Her father, Frank Mayham, was editor of the Hobart Independent at the time of their residence here. Mrs. Vaughn, at the time of her marriage, was in charge of an Indian school at Los Cruces.

Births.

A 10-pound son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Emmet Grant today.

Bits of News and Personals.

Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Christian of Brooklyn are stopping at the Commercial house. The Commercial house is in the same prosperous condition of the New York city hotels, all rooms taken and people lodging out. — Albert Adee and Harry Vroman went pickerel fishing yesterday on Mayham's pond. They report a fair catch and some large ones. — R. G. Hill has rented of Mrs. B. A. Knapp the part of her residence recently occupied by Walter Petrie and family. Possession given March 1. — Mrs. Carrie Whitmore of Bloomville is visiting friends in town. — Thomas Rich returned last night from attending court at Delhi. — Mrs John McClelland of Stamford called on friends in town today. — The patriotic exercises at the High school will be held at 2:30 on Washington's birthday, instead of following chapel exercises as was stated yesterday.

WEST DAVENPORT DOINGS.

Sale and Supper Held By Free Baptist Church Big Success.

West Davenport, Feb. 21 — The sale and supper held by the Free Baptist society last Friday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Walder Briggs was a great success both socially and financially. The proceeds were twenty dollars and five cents. Much fun was manifested during the evening as all did their best to make the gathering a social one. About 70 were in attendance.

Birthday Surprise Party.

About 60 friends and neighbors of Sherman Simmons gathered at his home below the village last evening to celebrate his sixty-sixth birthday. The merry gathering was a complete surprise to Mr Simmons, he having no knowledge of the even until the crowd arrived, but he soon recovered and made everyone welcome. A delicious supper was served to all by the ladies who soon made themselves busy, after which Mr. and Mrs. Simmons were seated in the parlor behind a table laden with birthday cakes, one with three candles representing the past present and future. The presentation speech was made by Merton A. Freeman, who in his folly was exploded the candles and presented to Mr and Mrs Simmons a nice sum of money as a reminder of the occasion. Altogether the event was very much loved, all voted that Mr and Mrs Simmons were good entertainers and at a late hour all departed, wishing the couple many more birthdays.

DEATH OF S. VANDUSEN.

Esteemed Resident of Harpersfield Passes Away Monday.

North Kortright, Feb. 21 — Stephen Vandusen one of the most substantial and esteemed residents of Harpersfield, died Monday about noon at his farm home where he had lived for many years. He was over 80 years of age and his entire life had been spent in the town of Harpersfield. Death was due to a gradual decline, extending over several months. Previous to this he was remarkably active and well preserved for an octogenarian, retaining his faculties perfectly and interested in all the affairs of life. In politics he was Republican and for years held the office of justice of the peace. For some time also he had been one of the directors of the Stamford bank and he was an active member of the Harpersfield Methodist Episcopal church. He is survived by a daughter Miss Sarah VanDusen, and a son, Fred, who resided with their father, and by a brother, Henry VanDusen of Stamford. His wife, whose maiden name was Gibbs, died several years ago; also a son, Richard. The funeral arrangements have not been learned.

Work for Dressmaker.

There is an opportunity here and plenty of work for a good dressmaker, as the removal to Oneonta of Miss Jennie Douglass, who was very proficient in that line, leaves the place without a dressmaker.

C. D. Nichols Sale.

Charles D. Nichols, who resides about a mile from Harpersfield Center, has advertised to sell his stock and farm tools at auction, Thursday, Feb. 22, preparatory to his removal to Milford, where he has purchased a farm.

Negotiating for Farm.

It is currently reported that Wilson Porter of Kortright is negotiating for the purchase of the J. H. Douglass farm.

Small Company Entertained.

Mr. and Mrs. T. E. McCulley delightfully entertained a small company Friday evening. Those present were Mr and Mrs. C. W. Phincle, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Mawhinney, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas McAuley of this place and Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Thompson of South Kortright.

TOLD IN TREADWELL.

Treadwell, Feb. 21. — Virgil Jester will move back to his farm in Meredith soon. — Mr. and Mrs. Ray E. Palmer of Hancock are spending a two week's vacation at E. S. Bell's. — Alfred Smith and wife will come back here about March 1, having rented Levi Smith's farm. — The Ladies' Aid society of the Methodist Episcopal church held their annual meeting for the election of officers at Mrs. M. S. Greene's Wednesday evening. — Mrs. Jessie Brasee and Leland, of Franklin, were visitors in town Sunday.—George McLean went Monday to Esopus to attend his father's funeral. — David Gladstone and son of Franklin were in town Sunday. — The Epworth league will hold a "Washington" social at the Methodist Episcopal parsonage Friday evening. — A child of George and Lillie Luck of Delhi, former residents here, die last week. The body was placed in the vault and later will be brought to Treadwell for burial.— Some trouble with the water mains on lower Main street, also near Clarence Van Buskirk's home. — The drama "Country Folks," was repeated Tuesday evening. The band furnished music. — Mrs. S. R. Bell returned from New Jersey last week after a two months' absence. — Miss Ethel Chamberlain of Franklin was a week-end visitor of Miss Frances Hunt. — Mrs. Francis Knapp and E. G. Reid attended the funeral of a relative in Delhi last week. — Mrs. Cant is not as well. The Anderson family are all improving, also Mrs. Milan Ward. — Treadwell needs a physician. A good opening. — The drama, "Country Folks," which was so creditably played and well received here, will be played in Meridale on Tuesday evening, February 27.—Rev. and Mrs. Mattison of North Franklin were callers in town Tuesday afternoon.

SOME IMPORTANT QUESTIONS

To Be Settled at the Delhi Village Election in March.

Delhi, Feb. 21.—Following are some of the important questions to be submitted to the voters of this village at the charter election to be held next month:

Shall there be a rigid police control of automobile traffic during the summer and fall months?

Shall bicycle riding on any of the streets of the village be permitted?

Shall ball playing and the building of bonfires on the Main street be permitted?

Shall there be an all-night service of electric street lighting?

Brief News Notes.

Prof. S. S. Kilkenny delivered a lecture last evening at the High school building upon "The High School of the Future." It was an able effort and the many interesting features of the High school of the future were discussed. The lecture was much appreciated by all present.— The young people held a social dance at the village hall last evening. — Mr and Mrs. E. W. Pratley have returned from Binghamton, where they had been spending several weeks and have rented the Hime Flat.

NORTH FRANKLIN FACTS.

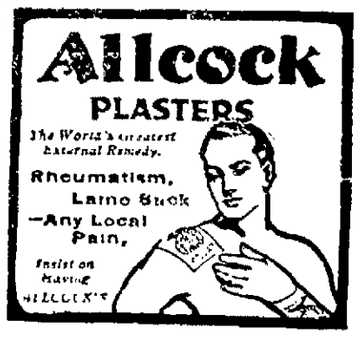
Interesting Grange Meeting at Hall on Washington's Birthday.

North Franklin, Feb. 21.—There will be a meeting of Oakdale grange Thursday, Feb. 22. The lecture hour will be taken up with a spelling match made by Mrs. Jennie Slawson, a recitation by Mabel Sanford. There will be refreshments served. Meeting to commence promptly at 1:30 p. m.

Little News Notes.

There was a good attendance at the meeting of the Ladies' Aid society at Mrs. Jack Munson's last Thursday. Proceeds of the meeting were $4.75.— Mr and Mrs. Charles Munson attended the funeral of Frank Orr at Otego Monday. Mr and Mrs Edward Bowen of Treadwell visited at George Wasson's Saturday. — Mrs. Germaine Barnes of West Meredith visited her son, Leslie Barnes, several days last week.

Biwa Tea, very fine, new crop in stock. Your grocer, 50c. advt tf



OVERWORKED MOTHER

Had Nervous Break-down, Made Well by Vinol.

Collinsville, Ill.—"I suffered from a nervous break-down and terrible headaches, and was tired all over, totally worn out and discouraged, but as I had a large family I had to work despite my suffering. I saw Vinol advertised and decided to try it, and within two weeks I noticed a decided improvement, and now I am a well woman."—Mrs. Ana Becker.

The reason Vinol builds up weak, run-down women so quickly is because it contains a delicious combination of most successful tonics, beef and cod liver peptones, iron and manganese peptonates and glycerophosphates, in a mild tonic wine.

We will return your money if Vinol fails to build up strength for weak run-down people.

H. B. Gildersleeve, Druggist, Oneonta; also at the leading drug stores in all New York towns.

CASCARETS CURE HEADACHE, COLDS, CONSTIPATION

To-night! Clean your bowels and stop headache, colds, sour stomach.

Get a 10 cent box.

Take a Cascaret to-night to cleanse your Liver, Stomach and Bowels, and you will surely feel great by morning. You men and women who have headache, coated tongue, a bad cold, are bilious, nervous, upset, bothered with sick, gassy, disordered stomach, or have backache and feel all worn out. Are you keeping your bowels clean with Cascarets—or merely forcing a passageway every few days with salts, cathartic pills or castor oil?

Cascarets immediately cleanse and regulate the stomach, remove the sour undigested and fermenting food and foul gases; take the excess bile from the liver and carry off the constipated waste matter and poison from the bowels.

Remember, a Cascaret to-night will straighten you out by morning. A 10-cent box from your druggist means healthy bowel action; a clear head and cheerfulness for months. Don't forget the children.

FIFTY MOTOR CARS BURN

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age and the two adjoining buildings must go. They were located near the O. & W station and in close proximity to the electric light and Standard Oil company plants, both of which were saved with difficulty by the firemen, aided by the favorable wind prevailing. Three large feed stores in the same locality were also considered in danger at one time.

Little of the office and personal effects were removed from the garage building, four cars in all being saved, they being named below. The two adjoining buildings had household goods and wagon making machinery and lumber stored therein, but most of these were removed. Mr. Thompson, after rallying from the effects of inhaling the smoke and fumes of the extinguishers, returned to the building and it was with difficulty that he was influenced to leave and secure medical aid. His injuries, late last night, were not considered critical, although painful.

Much sympathy is expressed in Delhi for Messrs. Dreyfus and Morgan who are popular young men and were winning deserved success. They started in business at this location in July, 1915, and in addition to installing steam heat throughout the garage and maintaining a uniform temperature day and night throughout the winter, had equipped the machine ship with modern lathes and other machines and were doing much of the repair upon many, especially the more costly, cars in that section of the county. They had built up a profitable business and had constantly added to their equipment and stock as they prospered. Following this policy they had put in stock many parts of the more popular cars in that section and had only recently in anticipation of the advancing prices received a sizable shipment of tires. Mr. Morgan is a son-in-law of E. R. Ford of this city and his many friends in this city regret to learn of his misfortune.

While no definite announcement could be secured last evening from the firm, it is stated that Mr. Morgan declared to a friend during the afternoon that they would doubtless continue the business and would re-open at no distant date with a modern and fully equipped building for garage and machine shop purposes and be prepared to care for the large and choice clientele the firm has gained.

It is stated that most of the 49 cars owned by private individuals were insured, but it was impossible yesterday to learn of the insurance in each case.

List of Cars Destroyed.

The following is the complete list of cars lost so far as could be ascertained from the list in the possession of Morgan & Dreyfus:

M. J. Elliott's National.

Mrs. H. A. Pitcher's National 12.

Morgan & Dreyfus', White.

John C. Stoddard, Chalmers.

Morgan & Dreyfus, three Buicks, two Fords, one Jackson, one Chalmers, one Ford town car, one Pope truck, one Willys-Knight.

George Lambert, Saxon 6.

David Salzburg, Republic truck.

H. S. Graham & Sons, Ford runabout.

Dr. G. A. Silliman, Ford runabout.

W. C. Munn, Ford roadster.

A. B. Allison, Buick touring car.

Harry L. Eckert, Chandler touring car.

M. Farrington, Overland truck.

John McDowell, Jackson touring car.

Alex Stewart, Overland touring car.

John Hall, Overland roadster.

E. C. Dean, Overland roadster.

Fred Doherty, Buick touring car.

Howard Bundy, Buick roadster.

Dean & Bramley, Ford.

Daniel Franklin, Chandler roadster

Mrs. H. W. Cannon, McFarland 6 touring car.

Daniel Franklin, National 6 touring car.

Walter Armstrong, old Buick.

R. C. Murphy, Overland.

Leslie Thompson, White touring car.

Elmer Sanford, Saxon touring car.

George Scott, Willys-Knight.

Walter Ostrander, National 6 roadster.

S. S. Kilkenny Buick roadster.

W. Gerowe of Roxbury, six new Fords.

Robert Thompson, Saxon touring car.

Barton McFarland, Overland.

Four cars were saved as follows:

George Scott, National.

Morgan & Dreyfus, one White and two Buicks.

Arrested for Assault.

Arthur Costello who rooms at 170 Main street, was arrested at the above address Tuesday afternoon on a charge of assault in the third degree, preferred by Bertha Kortright. The prisoner was turned over to Patrolman E. V. Brown. Costello was arraigned before Municipal Judge Henry Shove and, upon his entering a plea of not guilty, bail was fixed at $200 which was furnished by his father. The hearing in the case has been adjourned to 9 o'clock a. m., March 5, at which time the defendant reserves the right to call for a jury trial.

For sale—Fifty shares of the capital stock of the Second National bank of Cooperstown. In order to effect a quick sale will sell at twenty points below its book value, as per last government report. George I. Wright, Oneonta, N Y. Advt tf

Notice.

On or about March 26 I will open a shop and office prepared to do all kinds of sign painting show card writing and advertising. Location announced later. Al. Wall. advt tf

Wolcott's orchestra will furnish the music for the Washington's Birthday dance at Liberty hall tonight. adv tf

Pin boys wanted at Oneonta Hotel alleys. Must be over 18 years of age. advt tf

NEW INDUSTRY PROSPERING.

Kayser Silk Mill Now Has 55 Employes —Interesting Bit of History.

The glove factory, which Julius Kayser & company recently established in the building of F. H. Bresee on Wall street, now has 55 employes and business is booming to such an extent that the company is now talking about additional floor space for the branch factory here and seeking additional hands as rapidly as they can be instructed. The industry is apparently to become a fixture in Oneonta and is designed to attain sizable proportions provided the needed help is available.

An interesting bit of history is connected with the location of this branch factory, which illustrates well how public spirited citizens should constantly keep the prosperity of the community in mind and let no opportunity pass to call manufacturers attention to this city.

Some months ago when a traveling salesman of the company called at the Oneonta Department store soliciting orders Mr. Bresee inquired the price of a certain quality of gloves and was informed that they could not be provided as they had previously been made in Germany and none could be shipped and that none could be sold to merchants until manufactured in this country. When asked why the company did not establish a factory in this country, the salesman replied that his understanding was that the company was in quest of location at the time. "Tell your company to bring the factory to Oneonta. I will provide you a good location and assure you help," said Mr. Bresee.

It was only a few days later when a representative of the company called upon Mr. Bresee and informed him that the salesman had reported the conversation and that he (the representative) was here to look over any proposed location and to investigate the assertion that help could be secured. When he left preliminary arrangements had been made and in a few days on and by express came a shipment of machines. The sequel is that 55 employes are earning good wages and the industry is only fairly started.

Fine job printing at The Herald office.

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